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CATALOGUE OF

Flower and Vegetable

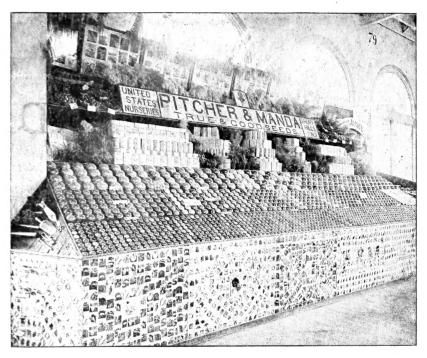
# SEEDS

AND

# Bulbs for Spring Planting

SHORT HILLS, NEW JERSEY. 1895

# Pitcher & Manda's TRUE and GOOD SEEDS.



OUR SEED EXHIBIT AT THE WORLD'S FAIR. AWARDED GOLD MEDAL AND DIPLOMA.

N THIS, our Seed Catalogue for 1895, we have endeavored to list all the new and staple varieties of Flower, Vegetable and Agricultural seeds, excluding the undesirable kinds which have proved by fair trial to be unworthy of further notice. We have also endeavored to make our Catalogue simple, so that purchasers may easily find the article they require.

We would ask that orders be sent in early, as owing to the crops being a partial failure, many

varieties are likely to be scarce later in the season.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS should be addressed direct to the firm, and not to any of the employés. If the special attention of any man in the establishment is desired, it so stated in the letter, it will be referred to him.

**REMITTANCES** may be made either by check, express or post-office money order, bank draft or money in registered letter. Postage stamps, preferably of the one and two-cent denominations, are accepted for small amounts.

ORDERS are best made out on the order sheet inclosed in each catalogue. Name and address should be written plainly, and full shipping directions given if there is any preference. Where directions are not given, we send the best and cheapest way. Orders should be sent as early as possible, that they may have our best attention. Prices are subject to change without notice,

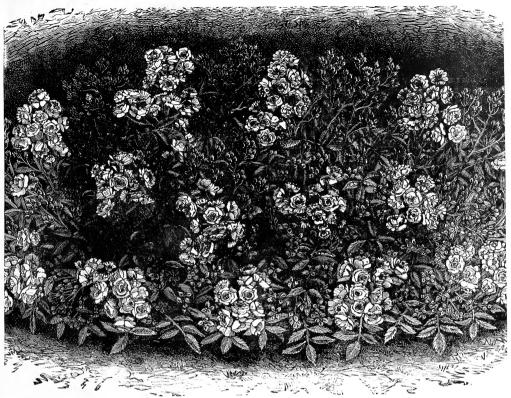
POSTAGE AND EXPRESS CHARGES. If Peas and Beans are to be sent by mail, add 15 cts. per quart extra; Corn, 10 cts. per quart; seeds, ½-pound and over, 8 cts. per pound Bulbs at single and dozen rate, seeds per pkt., oz. and ¼ pound include postage. We recommend that bulks roots go by express, as in that case we can send larger specimens.

NO CHARGE IS MADE for packing, boxes, baskets or barrels, nor for delivery at the station of the transportation company. Cloth bags only are charged for, and they at cost—peck, 10 cts.; ½ bus. 12 cts.; bus., 15 cts.; 2 bus. 20 cts

COMPLAINTS, if any, should be made at once on receipt of goods. Mistakes will sometimes happen, be as careful as we may. We want all such reported, and will try to rectify them.

HEAD GARDENERS AND ASSISTANTS. We have at all times on our books the names of several intelligent, experienced and reliable men for such positions, and will be pleased to put them in communication with any lady or gentleman desiring their services.

AT WARRANTY. While we exercise the greatest care to have all seeds pure, of the highest germinating power, and true to name, we give no warranty, express or implied, in regard to the crop.



NEW PERPETUAL BEDDING ROSE, "DWARF MULTIFLORA."

# Novelties and Specialties

Of Recent Introduction.

# NEW PERPETUAL BEDDING ROSE, "Dwarf Multiflora."

(Flowers from Seed Sown the first Year.)

Of late years perhaps no novelty in the line of flowers has been introduced that is destined to become more popular, or be more universally grown and admired, than the beautiful little dwarf-growing Rose we here offer for the first time in this country. As the name suggests, these pretty little plants are almost completely covered with myriads of bright, handsome blossoms, presenting all the exquisite shades of color common to the Queen of Flowers.

The plants do not grow to a greater height than one foot, and a bed of these, studded with their symmetrical clusters of vari-colored blooms, makes a most charming effect. The peculiar characteristic of this sterling novelty, and that which will recommend it to everyone, is its flowering from seed sown the first year, and continuing to bloom year after year, increasing in beauty with age

Seed sown in January, February or March commences to flower three months after sowing, and continues in great profusion until frost. The second and following years the plants and flowers are more ornamental than the first.

Roses grown from seed always produce a larger percentage of single flowers, but with this new variety the majority come double, and while here and there will be found nestling among their more perfect companions a few single blossoms, they increase by contrast the beauty of both. The single Rose alone has safficient hold upon all flower lovers to recommend a trial of this useful and desirable novelty. Full cultural directions are given with each packet. 25 cents per packet, \$1 for five packets.

### A Wonderful New Giant Coleus, "Monstrosus."

Unfortunately, we were unable to have an illustration of this wonderful new plant prepared in time for use in this catalogue, but from the introducer's brief description, a fair idea of it may be had: "Monstrous," is not too strong a word to express the size of this new Coleus. Cultivated in pots, the plants attain a height of six and one-half feet, and produce variegated and beautifully formed leaves one foot wide, and two feet long. For striking effect, we know of nothing better.

50 cents per packet.

# NEW ASTER, "Lady in White."

This new variety is offered this year for the first time, and differs from all other varieties of this

extensive family yet introduced, in the peculiarly beautiful form of foliage, the leaves being long, very narrow, and a striking light green in color, a decided improvement upon the suffness so common to most other classes of Aster. In habit of growth this variety somewhat resembles the Mignon Aster, from which it has been obtained. The semi-globular flowers are borne on very slender stems, a single plant producing not less than 40 buds, and sometimes as many as 70. which open into flower gradually, thus prolonging the flowering period. 35 cents per packet.

#### NEW WHITE BRANCHING ASTER.

Although this is a novelty of last year's introduction, it is one that will recommend itself and command attention for some years to come. remarkable feature, and that which distinguishes it from other varieties, is its peculiar habit of growth and form of flower. The large, handsome, purewhite flowers are borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems, the slender, graceful petals spreading thickly in every direction. Indeed, the flowers are often mistaken for Chrysanthemums, and being a very late bloomer, this heightens the illusion. Plants of this excellent novelty are easily raised from seed, one of our packets producing an abundant quantity. See illustration below. 15 cts. per pkt., 2 for 25 cts.

### HUMULUS JAPONICUS VARIEGATUS.

(The New Variegated Leaved Japanese Hop.)

A grand decorative climber, to which we call special attention. It has all the good points of Humulus Japonicus, is a free, healthy and rapid grower, free from the attacks of insects, does not suffer from drought, and the variation comes true from seed. The large, lobed leaves are distinctly marked and blotched with silvery white on a



ASTER, "LADY IN WHITE."

ground of dark green. This climber is sure to become a favorite. This climber is sure to become a favorite. 3 packets for 25 cents.

## SWEET WILLIAM, "Carter's Holborn Glory."

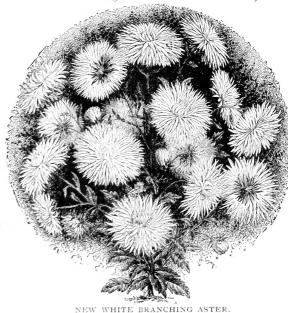
A variety of recent introduction, producing large flowers, with well-defined markings which have not been seen in any previous Sweet William. The individual flowers often measure 1½ inches across. 30 cents per packet.

### NEW BEDDING LOBELIA, "White Ladie."

Very dwarf, and comes true from seed. 30 cents per packet.

# POLYANTHUS PRIMROSES, "Royal London Parks."

Charming early-flowering plant, perfectly hardy, producing immense trusses of bloom. Comes perfectly true from seed. Used in all the public parks of London, from which it receives its name. 25c. pkt.



# NEW HELIOTROPE, "Queen Marguerite."

This is without doubt the most profuse-blooming Heliotrope yet introduced, the plants being

covered with immense, sweet-scented clusters of deep, dark blue flowers, often 12 to 14 inches in diameter, and of the most delicate and delightful perfume, during almost the entire year. A beautiful novelty, that we feel certain will find favor with all who give it a trial. Suitable for pot or border culture, and invaluable for cutting. 50 cts. per packet.

# LARGE-FLOWERING DWARF WINTER STOCK, "Sunrise."

Several years of careful culture have developed this exceedingly valuable novelty. Growing to a height of 8 to 10 inches in an erect, spreading habit, the numerous flower-spikes are thickly studded with large, beautiful blossoms, of a bright rose color with a metallic lustre. It is perfectly hardy, and about 70 per cent. of the flowers come double. Flowering starts early, and lasts a long time in perfection, sometimes for eight weeks. Wherever exhibited, this plant has been greatly admired. It has all the elements of lasting popularity. 35 cts. per packet.



NEW DWARF WINTER STOCK, "SUNRISE."

# DOUBLE LILIPUT ZINNIA, "Scarlet Gem."

These handsome little annuals are, without doubt, among the most charming of recent introductions, and have become great favorites with all lovers of free-flowering plants. The effect produced by a group of these thickly-branched, dwarfed, petite plants, literally covered with small, short-stemmed, very double flowers, is delightful. The pretty little "Scarlet Gem" we here offer for the first time, having an exceedingly graceful habit, can be used as a pot-plant, as well as for beds and borders. 35 cts. per pkt.

#### Mimulus Gloriosus.

A beautiful novelty, now offered for the first time. Flower maroon-crimson, brilliantly spotted on the lower lobes like a jeweled tongue; very handsome. 25c. pkt.

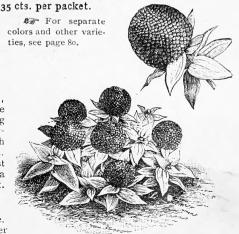


"QUEEN MARGUERITE" HELIOTROPE.

# New Dwarf Double-Striped Zinnia.

(Zinnia elegans nana flore pleno striata.)

This dwarf type of the striped or zebra strain of Zinnia will be found invaluable for bedding and pot-work. The colors are as bright and effective as in their tall prototypes, and for large beds and borders they will be unsurpassed. Mixed colors,



ZINNIA "SCARLET GEM."

### NEW FORGET-ME-NOT, "Blue Perfection."

Myosotis Dissitiflora Grandiflora.

A novelty of great merit, being awarded first prizes in Hamburg and Hanover, at recent exhibi-The pale-blue blossoms are remarkably large, and are borne in strong, well-formed umbels, almost covering the compact-growing plant. Blooming early, it is especially valuable for forcing, and an excellent thing for potculture and cutting. 25 cts. per packet, 5 packets for \$1.

## MYOSOTIS ALPESTRIS "lewel."

(Dwarf Forget-Me-Not.)

An entirely new variety, being a sport from Myosotis alpestris Victoria, but much larger in the flowers. The plants are very strong and compact, forming solid ballshaped bushes, bearing from 40 to 45 perfect flower-stems. The flower is composed of one double central blossom. encircled by innumerable smaller ones, forming altogether a beautiful-looking cluster, which lasts a long period in bloom. The color is a beautiful **sky-blue**, brighter than any other variety known. For beds and borders, and

especially for bouquet work, this novelty will

be found invaluable.

There has also been introduced during the past season a pure white-flowering form of the above. Either color, separate, 15 cts. per packet, 2 packets for 25 cts.

For other varieties of Forget-Me-Not, see page 65.

### Pyrethrum Parthenifolium aureum crispum.

The leaves of this striking novelty are bright golden yellow, and similar in form to the wellknown Golden Feather, but distinct from it by being beautifully curled and crisped, resembling curled parsley. The plants are strong, but dwarf, compact, and of neat habit. This plant is of sterling merit, and will find its way into every garden. While being a fine feature in the summer flower garden, it is also available for effect in 15 cts. per packet, 2 packets for 25 cts.

### CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA. "Backhousei."

A hardy perennial of exceedrobust ingly growth; flowers

of the purest white, and almost twice the size of the type. Is unsurpassed for groups, being noted for its free and long-lasting

bloom. Growing to a height of about 3 feet, the plant throws up 6 to 8 flower-stalks, each covered with 15 to 20 magnificent blooms. Invaluable either for cutting or for the border. 35 cts. per packet.

MYOSOTIS DISSITIFLORA GRANDIFLORA,

"BLUE PERFECTION."

#### HELIOPSIS PITCHERIANA.

The best of the perennial, yellow, daisy-like flowers for the border or for cutting. The flowers are 3 inches across, bright golden yellow; the leaves are dark green, and the whole plant is very bushy and of robust, free-flowering habit. Will grow in any soil. rocts. per pkt., 3 packets for 25 cts.



PYRETHRUM AUREUM CRISPUM.

### NEW DOUBLE-FLOWERING MORNING GLORY.

This being the first double-flowered Morning Glory ever introduced, we have no doubt it will be



NEW DOUBLE-FLOWERING MORNING GLORY.

heartily welcomed as an important addition to this class of plants. It is a rapid grower and produces its large, handsome flowers freely, about 80 per cent. coming double from seed. The flowers are white. with a bright spot of red or blue at the base of the larger petal. 15 cts. per packet, 2 packets for 25 cts.

### DIANTHUS LACINIATUS. "Salmon Queen."

A beautiful acquisition to the annual Pinks, with flowers a most brilliant salmon color, gradually fading to salmon-rose. It is perfectly distinct from all other varieties, as is proved by the seeds, which are cream-white, while all other annual Pinks have darkbrown or black seeds. The plants attain a height of from 10 to 12 inches, crowned with well-formed, nicely fringed flowers. 25 cts. per packet.

### SILENE PENDULA NANA COMPACTA "Amalia." (New Sensitive Plant.)

A regular, compact, semi-globular formed new variety, 4 to 6 inches high, which during the time of flowering, is densely covered with tender rose-

colored flowers in such a number, that hardly the leaves of the plant are to be seen. Admirably suited for spring-gardening, and very useful for beds or borders. 25 cts. per packet.

### WALLFLOWER "Eastern Queen."

This new, large-flowering, single Wallflower will be found an exceedingly valuable acquisition and indispensable for spring borders. In habit the plant is very bushy, and does not exceed one foot in height, being crowned with flowers of bright chamois changing to salmon-red, making a very pleasing effect. 35 cts. per packet.

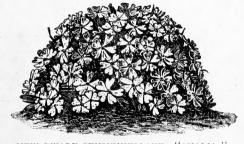
#### RICINUS ZANZIBARENSIS FNORMIS.

(New Castor-Oil Plant.)

This unique and attractive plant, originated in East Africa, and, disseminated from Europe, attracted universal attention at the recent Industrial

Exhibition at Erfurt, Germany, where it was exhibited side by side with the older kinds, and pronounced to be the finest ornamental foliaged plant on the grounds. It produces enormously large leaves, brownish purple when in a young state,

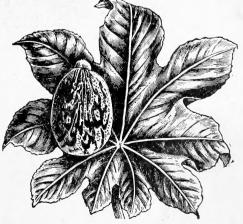
gradually changing to dark green with reddish ribs. seeds themselves are very novel, being the same size as in the accompanying cut, and curiously marbled whiteand black. The profuse foliage and harmonious coloring make a most pleasing effect, certain to attract much attention wherever planted. A fine plant for the center of lawn beds or sub-tropical bedding. 10c. per pkt., 3 for 25 cts.



NEW DWARF SENSITIVEPLANT "AMALIA."



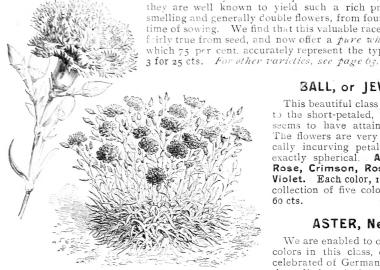
WALLFLOWER "EASTERN QUEEN."



RICINUS ZANZIBARENSIS ENORMIS.

#### NEW WHITE MARGUERITE CARNATIONS.

Although only of recent introduction, this class of Carnations has become a most important article for every one who requires cut-flowers, and justly so, now that they are well known to yield such a rich profusion of large, sweetsmelling and generally double flowers, from four to five months after the time of sowing. We find that this valuable race will produce self colors fairly true from seed, and now offer a pure white flowering variety, of which 75 per cent, accurately represent the type. 10 cts. per packet,



CARNATION, "DWARF MARGUERITE,

### BALL, or JEWEL ASTERS.

This beautiful class of Asters, which belongs to the short-petaled, pæony-flowered section, seems to have attained a great popularity. The flowers are very double, with symmetrically incurving petals, making them almost exactly spherical. Apple Blossom, Deep Rose, Crimson, Rose and White, Purple Violet. Each color, 15 cts. per packet. The collection of five colors, one packet of each, 60 cts.

#### ASTER, New Mignon.

We are enabled to offer two new and distinct colors in this class, originated by the most celebrated of German seedsmen. Flowers of three distinct shades of color are borne upon the plant at the same time. The blossoms

when they open are pure white. They gradually change to lilac or rose, and the matured flower is pure lilac or rose. Quite distinct and attractive. White, changing to lilac. White, changing to rose. Each, 25 cts. per packet. For other varieties of Mignon Aster, see page 59.

#### Centaurea Cyanus nana compacta "Victoria." Mixed Colors.

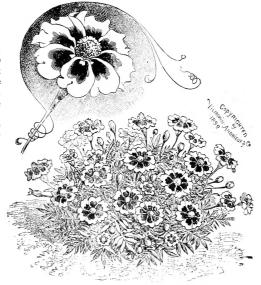
This fine annual is especially adapted for carpet-bedding, and equally suitable for pot-culture; it cannot fail to be greatly appreciated when more generally known. The single blooms are somewhat smaller than those of the ordinary Cornflower, and larger than those of the dwarf variety, and in color range through White, Lilac, Rose, Blue and Red. The plant grows 6 inches high, forming a perfect ball, completely covered with flowers. It will quickly be found a desirable acquisition to the flower garden. 25 cts. per packet.

### TAGETES, "Legion of Honor." (New Single French Marigold.)

A pretty little, dwarf-growing, single Marigold, of bushy habit, growing only to a height of 5 to 6 inches; invaluable for masses or borders. It produces a great profusion of bloom during the entire season, starting in June from seed sown in the spring. It is a particularly sturdy little plant, the flowers lasting a long time in perfection, and withstanding the greatest droughts. The flowers are a rich golden yellow, beautifully marked with a large spot of velvety crimson. 10 cts. per packet, 3 packets for 25 cts.

## Primula obconica grandiflora.

Primula obconica is an excellent plant for winter blooming in the conservatory, and is much grown by florists for cutting. The large-flowered strain which we offer was produced through the careful selection of a prominent English house, and we take pleasure in recommending it for general planting. It is much more floriferous than the ordinary stock, and is better adapted for pot-culture. 25 cts. per packet.



TAGETES PATULA NANA, "LEGION OF HONOR,"

#### P. & M.'S PRIZE CHRYSANTHEMUM SEED.

PRIZE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

Seedling Chrysanthemums are becoming the fashion of late years, and thousands of new varieties crop up every fall, the majority only to be cut down again by public disapprovar. It is remarkable that during the past five years we have originated and disseminated more varieties of merit that have been commended by the horticultural public, and awarded diplomas, certificates, gold medals and cash prizes, than any other firm in the world. This is proved by statistics.

From this superb collection we have during the past season, at great expense, saved one of the finest strains of Chrysanthemum seed, we venture to say, that has ever been offered to the public. Our own sowings have been made from identically the same stocks we offer below, which we have no doubt whatever will produce many prize-winners next year. A packet of seed, costing 50 cents, may produce a new variety worth hundreds of dollars to the grower. During the past fall every mail contained enthusiastic letters from customers, expressing their great satisfaction at the marvelous results from their sowing of our Chrysanthemum seed, the majority of them being awarded prizes at local exhibitions.

Choicest Strain. Saved from prize varieties and new seedlings. 50 cts. per packet, 5 packets for \$2.

Splendid Mixed. Saved from select blooms of the leading standard varieties. 25 cts. per pkt., 5 pkts. \$1.

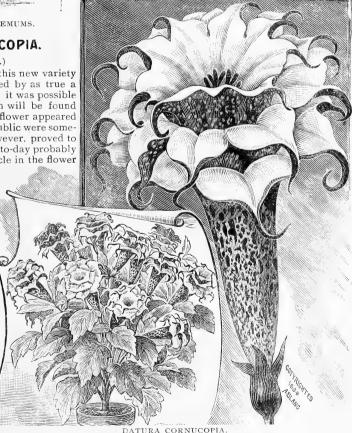
### DATURA CORNUCOPIA.

(Horn of Plenty.)

When we first introduced this new variety of Datura in 1893, accompanied by as true a representative colored plate as it was possible to make, and a copy of which will be found inserted in this Catalogue, the flower appeared so mammoth that the general public were somewhat incredulous. It has, however, proved to be all we have said of it, and is to-day probably as much in demand as any article in the flower

seed line. At the recent Columbian Exposition it was awarded a gold medal and a diploma, and by the Royal Horticultural Society of London a first-class certificate of merit

Imagine a plant 2 to 31/2 feet high bearing a multitude of large, cornucopia-shaped blooms, nearly a foot long and half a foot wide at the mouth, formed by 3 perfect flowers growing each within the other; inside a delicate cream-white, outside to the base a rich, royal purple. Of the easiest culture, requiring scarcely any attention after being once started. Seed sown in January, Februaryor March will develop into large, bushy plants 3 feet high. and produce 200 to 300 fragrant blooms during a single season. 15c. per pkt., 2 pkts. for 25c.



Datura, Double Yellow.

In habit of plant and form of flower identical with Cornucopia, but in color a rich golden yellow 15 cts per packet, 2 packets for 25 cts.

### NEW WHITE SWEET PEA, Blanche Burpee.

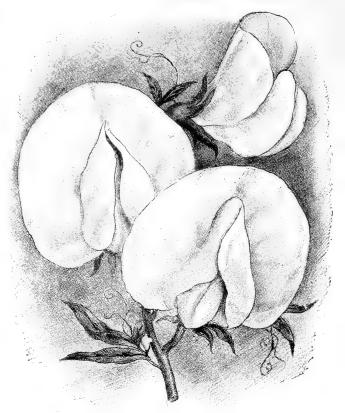
Pronounced by the introducer. Henry Eckford, England, probably the largest grower and originator of Sweet Peas in the world, as much superior to any other Sweet Pea yet introduced to commerce.

The immense, pure white blossoms are bore in great profusion, having strong, erect, stiff standards of lasting substance, and the "notch" so conspicuous in the Queen of England and other white Sweet Peas, is nowhere visible in this beautiful new hybrid. Mr. Eckford's verdict has been endorsed by the horticultural press throughout Europe.

Blanche Burpee, has received numerous first-class diplomas and certificates from the leading horticultural societies of England, and in Mr. Eckford's own words: "It must take its place before all others vet in commerce." 25 cts. per pkt., 3 pkts. for 65 cts.

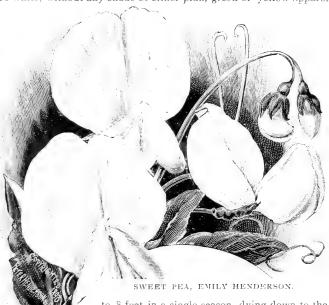
### SWEET PEA, Emily Henderson.

This grand Sweet Pea was sent out by its producer in 1893, but in very limited quantities. It is a sport of the favorite pink and white variety "Blanche Ferry," and has every one of the points of merit of that favorite variety. The flowers are, however,



SWEET PEA, BLANCHE BURPEE.

pure white, without any shade of either pink, green or yellow apparent in their broad petals.



The flowers are very large, of great substance, borne on stout stems, fitting them especially for cutting. It is one of the carliest varieties, and continues in flower longer than others, the plant being for the whole season covered with a multitude of flowers.

For forcing under glass it is the most desirable and profitable Sweet Pea known, on account of its color, earliness and free-blooming qualities. 10 cents per packet, 3 packets for 25 cents; 25 cents per oz., 80 cents per 1/4 lb., \$3 per lb.

### CENTROSEMA GRANDI-FLORA.

(Look at Me.)

This is a new hardy perennial climber, with large, pea-shaped white or purple blossoms. It grows to the height of from 6

to 8 feet in a single season, dying down to the ground in the fall, to reappear the following spring. It does well in the poorest and sandiest soil. The seed may be sown in a box in the house, and planted out when the weather permits, or may be sown in the open ground in April or May. 10 gents per packet, 3 packets for 25 cents.

# Eckford's New Sweet Peas

THE BEST VARIETIES OF RECENT INTRODUCTION.

Sent free by mail at prices quoted.

#### AMERICAN BELLE.

The standard of this useful new Sweet Pea is a clear rose in color, while the wings are curiously

spotted purpling ground. The stance, makin bouquets to \$1.50 per | 4| Boreatton.

with large f Splendor. In superb vari markings.
Captain Clair Countess of variety, wind standards.
Senator. As exquisite of chocolate of Apple Bloss namesake; darker in the standards.

Dorothy Tennant. Han Lemon Queen. Large for standards faintly tinted.

Primrose. Pale primrose standards.

Her Majesty. A handso

spotted purplish carmine on a crystal-white ground. The large flowers have good substance, making them especially useful for bouquets. 10 cts. per pkt., 40 cts. per oz., \$1.50 per ½lb., \$5 per lb.

Boreatton. Deep maroon; very distinct, with large flowers and rich coloring.

**Splendor.** Pinkish rose and crimson; a superb variety, of fine form and delicate markings.

Captain Clark. Violet, white and rose.
Countess of Radnor. A lovely bi-colored variety, with lilac wings and mauve standards.

**Senator.** An elegant variety of most exquisite coloring; mottled and striped chocolate on a cream-white ground.

Apple Blossom. Greatly resembles its namesake; shaded pink and rose, slightly

Dorothy Tennant. Handsome new heliotrope variety. Lemon Queen. Large flower, with white wings and standards faintly tinted lemon.

Primrose. Pale primrose-yellow, both wings and

**Her Majesty.** A handsome variety, with satiny, rosy crimson blossoms

Waverly. Rich claret and purple.

Orange Prince. Wings rich rose, standards orange-pink. Duchess of Edinburgh. A fine variety, with orange-scarlet standards and rose wings.

Mrs. Sankey. One of the best pure whites.

Any of the above varieties excpt where noted at 10 cts. per packet, 25 cts. per oz., 80 cts. per 1/41b., \$3 per 1b.

Collection of the 17 varieties, one packet of each, for \$1, including BLANCHE BURPEE and EMILY HENDERSON.

Eckford's Finest Hybrids. Mixed. 10 cts. per pkt., 20 cts. per oz., 70 cts. per 4lb., \$2.50 per lb.

#### STANDARD VARIETIES OF SWEET PEAS BY WEIGHT.

Adonis. Carmine.
Alba magnifica. Pure white.
Black Purple. Of deep color.
Butterfly. White, tinted lilac.
Empress of India. Soft rose.
Fairy Queen. White and rose.
Invincible Scarlet. The best scarlet.

URPEE&CO.

"Blue. The brightest blue.
"Carmine. Very bright.

Isa Eckford. Delicate pink.

Light Blue and Purple. Lottie Eckford. White, edged with lavender. Miss Blanche Ferry. Pink and white; dwarf. Mrs. Gladstone. Soft pink and blush. Nelly Jaynes. Pink and white. Painted Lady. Rose and white.

Princess Beatrice. Rose.

Princess of Wales. Blue and white.

Queen of the Isles. Scarlet, mottled white and purple.

Striped. Very showy.

Striped. Very showy.
The Queen. Deep pink.

Vesuvius. Dark red.

The above varieties, separate, 5 cts. per pkt., 15 cts. per oz., 40 cts. per ¼lb., \$1.25 per lb.; or, Collections containing one packet each of the 22 varieties, for \$1.

Fine Mixed. Extra large packet 5 cts., 10 cts. per oz., 25 cts. per 1/4 lb., 75 cts. per lb.

#### IPOMOEA DEDERACEA MARMORATA ROSEA.

A exceedingly handsome new variety of the Ivy-leaved Morning Glory, having large rose-mottled flowers, and certain to become very popular. 15 cts. per pkt., 2 for 25 cts.

# TULIP POPPY (Papaver glaucum).

A magnificent Poppy, recently discovered in the mountains of Armenia. The plant rises to a height of 12 to 14 inches, and produces above the bluish



did flowers, of the most brilliant and vivid scarlet imaginable. The two outer petals bear a resemblance to a saucer. in which the two inner petals stand nearly upright and as if protecting the stamens. As the flowers fade, two black spots are visible at the base of the petals. The color reminds one of the bright flame of the scarlet Duc van Thol Tulip, and on this account the variety has been named the

Tulip Poppy. 10 cts. per packet, 3 for 25 cts.

### Cardinal Poppy.

This is a variety of Papaver somniferum, and is distinguished from the type by its dwarfer habit of growth and the size and brilliant color of its flowers. These are immense, very double, brilliant scarlet on a white ground, and are borne 10 to 12 on a plant 18 inches high, lasting for a long time in perfection. A grand annual Poppy, which we predict will prove a decided acquisition. 10 cts. per packet, 3 for 25 cts.

#### Alpine Poppies (Papaver Alpinum),

These beautiful and graceful Poppies bring to recollection some of the delightful sensations felt by travelers in the Alps and Switzerland at catching sight of their dainty blossoms. Although they are perennials, they will, if sown early in spring, bloom the first season; are perfectly hardy, and require no protection. The colors are striking and showy, and a collection of these charming flowers in any garden is exceedingly pretty and effective. Orange, Pure White, Yellow, Rose. Each color, 15 cts. per packet; collection of four colors, one packet of each, 50 cts.

For other varieties of Poppies, see page 74.

#### Phlox Drummondii lutea fl. pl. (Semi-double Yellow Phlox.)

Of late years several varieties of semi-double flowering Phlox Drummondii have been introduced, the value of which as cut-flowers must have been recognized by those who have tried them. This very pretty yellow-flowering variety comes quite true from seed, and possesses a slight perfume. 25 cts. per packet.

#### Golden Yellow Double Scabious.

A yellow Scabious having long been looked for, this introduction has met with great favor. The plants of this pretty and useful variety are semi-dwarf, and bear in great profusion compact double flowers, of fine golden yellow color, which are admirably adapted for cutting. 15c. per pkt.

#### Dwarf Queen Ten-Weeks Stock. (Dark Blood-Red.)

A valuable introduction, which has proved to be the forerunner of a new class. Not over 9 inches in height, of compact habit and vigorous growth; produces numerous umbels of large, blood-red flowers, which stand out effectively from the leaves. Although this Stock produces 60 to 65 per cent. of double flowers, the single ones are also of decorative value. 25 cts. per packet.

### Triumph Ten-Weeks Stock. (Brilliant Crimson.)

This splendid variety was introduced recently as a Pyramidal Stock, but is now recognized as the first variety of an entirely new class. Of vigorous growth, the plant attains a height of 1 to 11/2 feet, is of branching habit, and bears about 70 per cent. of very large. double flowers. The latter are of graceful shape, resembling those of the double Ranunculus. 15 cts. per packet.

# CHOICE STRAINS OF FLORISTS' FLOWER SEEDS.



CYCLAMEN PERSICUM GIGANTEUM.

#### OUR SUPERB CALCEOLARIA.

We have every confidence in offering our choice strain of Calceolaria hybrida grandiflora, as it is saved from the choicest of collections, which during the past season were awarded first prizes. The flowers, which are beautiful in form and of large size, are tigered, spotted and self-colored. Any one wishing to secure a first-class strain for competition can depend on this.

Calceolaria hybrida grandiflora, 50 cts. per packet.

For other varieties and prices, see page 60.

#### CINERARIA HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA.

Our strain of this grand florists' flower will be found faultless, both in habit of plant and form of flower, the colors of which are most brilliant and of great variety. The seed we offer was saved from our fine collection of named and choice seedling flowers, some of which were on exhibition at our Nurseries during the past spring, and called forth the admiration of all who saw them.

Cineraria hybrida grandiflora, 50 cts. per packet.

For other varieties and prices, see page 63.

#### CYCLAMEN PERSICUM GIGANTEUM.

The choice strain we offer of this grand plant is saved ex-

from select specimens, the blooms of which often measure 2 inches and over in length, and are produced in great abundance. The broad petals are borne on small flowerstalks well above the foliage, which is beautifully mottled. Separate colors or mixed, 25 cts. per pkt.

For varieties and prices, see page 64.

#### PANSY.

We certainly do not over-estimate our stock of Pansy seed when we say that it is impossible to procure a more select strain, as it combines all the good qualities that go to make up perfection. Our unsurpassed strain of Pansy seed, 25c. per pkt., \$2.50 1/4 0z.

For varieties and prices, see page 73.



CINERARIA HYRIDA.

#### PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA.

(P. & M.'s Standard.)

to selecting the best strains of this popular plant,

For some time past we have given great attention and after

PRIMULA SINENSIS FIMBRIATA.

repeated tests with the choicest European strains, have what we believe to be the most superb in cultivation. We have made arrangements to have seed of this grown by the most skillful and careful growers expressly for us. Pitcher & Manda Standard, two colors only, Carmine-Red and Pure White. 50c. per pkt.

For varieties and prices, see page 74.

#### PETUNIA AURORA.

This new double, large-flowered Petunia is in a delicate rose, netted by intersecting veins of deep purple. Quite distinct, and a valuable acquisition to the large list of this much-esteemed class of plants. 50 cts. per packet.

#### SINGLE AND DOUBLE PETUNIAS.

Our strain of both Single and Double Mixed Petunias is selected from the very best flowers.

Choicest Double Mixed, 50 cts. per packet. Choicest Single Mixed, 50 cts. per packet.

#### PITCHER AND MANDA'S ICE LETTUCE.

This grand Lettuce was introduced by us a few years ago, and it met with great favor. The



PITCHER & MANDA'S ICE LETTUCE.

years ago, and it met with great favor. The leaves are curled and crisped at the margin, while the surface is indented by many little depressions which catch the dew of night, and when the sun strikes the plant in the early morning it has the appearance of being covered with ice. It is of fine flavor, of tender, crisp texture and a reddish green color. The heads are large (often attaining 3 feet in circumference) and of a good form and substance. 10 cts. per packet, 50 cts. per ounce.

#### New Giant Radish, Jewel.

A great improvement on all existing varieties of Radishes, being of just as good quality, tender and mild, not strong and biting, so objectionable in all large Radishes; and is four times as large as any Radish now

cultivated. Seed may be sown any time; in winter in hotbeds, in spring, summer or autumn in the open ground, and will thrive in any soil. Grows as quickly as any other Radish, and its foliage being small may be sown as closely as the ordinary kinds, which produce roots only one-fourth as large. The seed we offer is mixed in the following colors: Rose, Red, White, Violet and Yellow. 25 cts. per packet.

#### MELROSE MELON.

The good qualities of this excellent melon may be briefly and accurately described by stating, that in appearance it is really the handsomest, and in all other respects, decidedly the best new Cantaloupe. In color it is a rich dark green, oval in shape, and averages about four pounds in weight. The flesh is thick and solid; in flavor it cannot be surpassed. To cts. per packet, 25 cts. per oz., 75 cts. per ½1b., \$2.50 per lb.

# NEW SWEET CORN, EARLY FORDHOOK.

A delicious early Sweet Corn, ready for the table sometimes, a few days earlier, and sometimes a few days later than Early Cory, but is much superior to that variety in size, quality and sweetness, and is entirely free from 'smut," which is found in almost every other early Sweet Corn. It remains fit for the table longer than any other early Sweet Corn now known. All market gardeners and private planters who have given it a trial are enthusiastic in its praises. 10 cts. per packet, 25 cts. per pt., 50 cts. per qt.

#### NEW LETTUCE, "BOUCHARLAT'S ALL-HEAD."

An excellent summer Lettuce, with large, compact head, entirely free from exterior leaves, in consequence of which it occupies very little space, and can be planted very thickly, giving four times the head; very large and

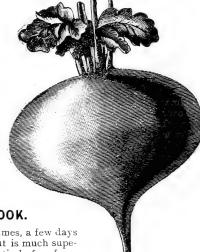
full. Taken altogether, this new acquisition will be found a great improvement on existing varieties, having a rich green color, slightly tinged a reddish brown under the head, by which it is easily identified. 15 cts. per packet, 25 cts. for two packets.



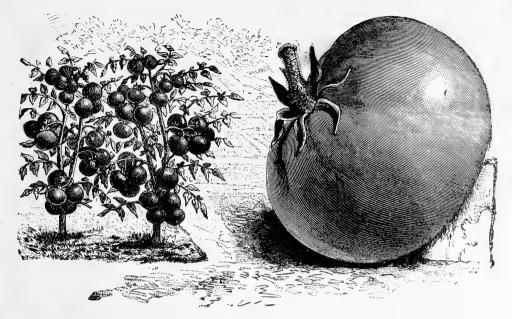
ALL HEAD LETTUCE.

### The Triumph Celery.

A new Celery, for which great claims are made by the introducer. Its strong point is its keeping qualities, remaining in condition until April and May. In fine, nutty flavor, brittle texture and handsome creamy white color, it is unsurpassed by any of the standard varieties. 15 cts. per packet, 3 packets for 40 cts., \$1 per ounce.



JEWEL RADISH.



### NEW EARLY RED TREE TOMATO.

That which especially recommends this Tomato over varieties of its class, is the fact that it has very little foliage and few branches, growing upright and sturdy, and producing immense quantities of finely formed Tomatoes of good size, carried well above the ground and close to the stem. The fruit, being entirely exposed, ripens very much earlier than other Tree Tomatoes, whose fault of late ripening has prevented their general use. In quality this variety is unsurpassed. 25c. per pkt.

#### COLUMBIA BEET.

A handsome, new, turnip-shaped Beet, with smooth skin and deep blood-red flesh of rich and and tender quality. It is as early as the well-known Egyptain, but is of far superior quality. Is highly commended by all who have given it a trial. roc. per pkt., 15 cts. per oz., 40 cts. per 1/10., \$1.25 per lb.

#### SWEET LAVENDER.

(Lavandula vera, Improved.)

Having received so many inquiries from different parts of the country for the True Lavender Seed, and there being so many spurious articles in use called Lavender, we have been prompted to secure a large quantity of

an improved strain of True Sweet Lavender, used so much for scenting linen chests and in



NEW WHITE BEDDING OR CARPET THYME.

making perfumery. We find that in many localities some other aromatic plant is often mistaken for true Lavender, and this leads to disappointing, if not disastrous, consequences, if used for medicinal purposes, as the true Lavender, having many medical qualities, frequently is. 10cts. per pkt., 3 for 25 cts.

## White-Flowered Carpet Thyme.

This charming, new, snow-white variety always comes true from seed, and is especially recommended on account of its adaptability to almost any situation, its low, cushion-like habit of growth making it invaluable for all kinds of carpet bedding, rockeries, and permanent border planting. It stands cutting, and is excellent for planting on steep hills and curves where few other plants thrive well, making a most valuable substitute for grass, as it is unaffected by the greatest drought. When planted 5 to 10 inches apart, the plants will spread and occupy all the space between, making a perfect carpet. 25 cts. per pkt.



SWEET LAVENDER.

#### SADDLE-BACK WAX BEAN.

This variety was originated by the largest Bean grower in the world; has long, straight, round,

absolutely stringless pods. Owing to the peculiar growth of the bush,

the profuse foliage covering the g ound in such a manner as to shade and keep it moist, this variety does not suffer like many others during a dry season. Each plant bears from 25 to 40 pods, which are full of "meat," there being no space between the Beans. This makes the pod full and round. and, owing to its graceful, curving form, it has been named "Saddle-Back." The character of the pods, together with the superb quality, will eventally almost drive the flatterpod Beans out of



cultivation. 15 cts. per packet, 2 for 25 cts., pt. 30 cts., qt. 60 cts. If to be sent by mail, add 15 cts. per qt. extra.

#### NEW STRINGLESS GREEN-POD BEAN.

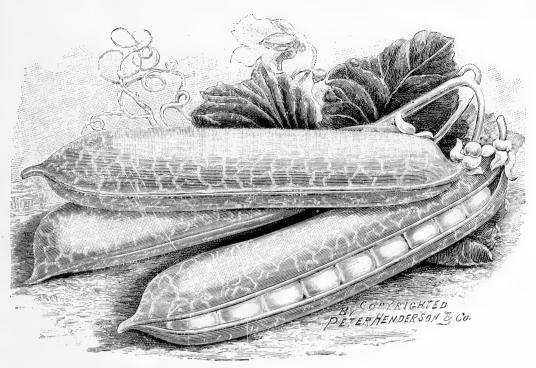
The introducer claims for this new Bean many superior qualities over those of existing varieties, and the fact of its being absolutely stringiess, which cannot be truthfully said of any other green-pod bush variety on the market to-day, will recommend it to every amateur girdener and lover of good vegetables. It is a dwarf bush Bean, and, while being unsurpassed in quality, it is ready for the table 2 weeks earlier than the earliest of the old varieties. Those who desire an extra early Bean of rare quality will receive great satisfaction by giving it a trial. The illustration given herewith shows the width and thickness of the beautiful, straight, flesh-green bods taken from nature. The many excellencies possessed by this new aspirant for favor will give it a place heretofore unoccupied, and its introduction will prove of immense value, not only to the market gardener, but also to the amateur for

the home garden. 15 cts. per pkt., 2 pkts. for 25 cts., 40 cts. per pt., 75 cts. per qt.

#### BUSH LIMA BEANS.

Come absolutely true from seed. The bushes grow 18 to 20 inches high, of stout growth and always erect, yet branching so vigorously that each plant develops into a magnificent circular bush, from 2 to 3 feet in diameter. The bush character is thoroughly established, not one plant in a thousand showing any disposition to "run." It is also a sure cropper and an immense yielder, each bush bearing from 50 to 200 of the handsomest large pods, well filled with very large beans, which are identical in size and luscious flavor with the well-known Pole Limas. By the introduction of these valuable varieties, the largest and best Lima Beans can now be raised in quantity at small cost, sew STRINGLESS GREEN and without the expense and labor which has always attached to the use

We offer the two best varieties of recent introduction, namely: Burpee's Eush Lima, identical in size of bean with the Large White Pole Lima, and "Dreer's Bush Lima," which has beans the same size as Dreer's Pole Lima. These two varieties should speedily find a place in every enterprising gardener's list. 10 cts. per pkt., 20 cts. per ½pt., 35 cts. per pt., 60 cts. per qt.



### THE JUNO PEA.

This is most emphatically called by its introducer the best wrinkled Pea of its class. It is medium early, and is recommended for main crop planting. It is medium dwarf, growing about two feet high, and the large, straight, broad-backed pods are borne in great profusion, usually growing in pairs. The Peas are dark green, 7 to 9 in a pod, of sweet, delicious flavor. 25 cts. per pint, 40 cts. per quart. Postage 15 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail. See illustration above.

#### Cool and Crisp Cucumber.

This new variety is well adapted for either slicing or pickling, and is the earliest and most prolific pickling variety known. When young, the fruit is long, very slender, and of a very deep green color, and the little knobs or warts which bear the spines are unusually conspicuous. We strongly recommend it as a pickler, still in quality it is surpassed by no other variety for slicing. 10c. per pkt., 3 pkts. for 25c.

### New Squash, The Delicata.

The earliest of vine Squashes, and the most prolific Squash known. The ground color is orange-yellow, striped and splashed with dark green. It is of rather small size, but solid and heavy, with small center cavity. In flavor it is not surpassed by any other variety, and is of a dry texture, resembling the new famous Fordhook Squash. It ripens as early as any of the summer Squashes, and has wonderful keeping qualities, remaining in condition until far into winter. 10 cts. per pkt., 3 for 25 cts.

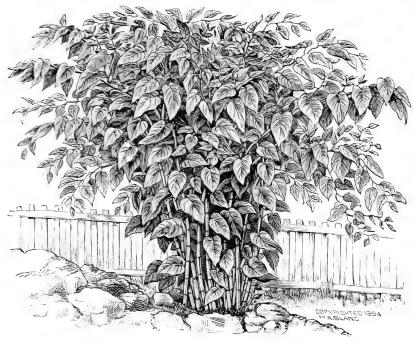
#### Improved Delmonico Musk-Melon.

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### TWO NEW FORAGE PLANTS.



SACALINE, THE NEW FORAGE PLANT.

# POLYGONUM SACHALINENSE, "Sacaline."

Although this plant has been cultivated for a great many years as an ornamental foliage plant, it was only in 1893 that its important and valuable properties were discovered by an accident which in itself was a great recommendation to the new forage plant. A drought, destroying every other forage plant in France during the season above mentioned, failed to affect this variety. As an experiment, it was given to horses, cattle and sheep, who took to it with great relish.

We have been growing it on our herbaceous farms for several years, where it has proved itself perfectly hardy, thriving luxuriantly on the most barren, rocky soil. It has received great praise from the horticultural and agricultural press all over the world, and in this country it is especially recognized as an invaluable addition to our somewhat limited list of forage plants. Owing to its extremely vigorous growth, sometimes attaining a height of 12 feet by June, it will bear cutting throughout the whole season. ½ oz. packet 50 cts., ¼ lb. \$3.50.

# Vegetable Seeds.

Our Vegetable Seeds may be relied upon as of the best possible quality. They have been obtained under circumstances which give us positive knowledge as to the purity of the various kinds and we believe no better seeds can be obtained anywhere at any price. We expect to as fully, cover the ground in seeds as we do in plants.

# Globe Artichoke.

ARTICHAUT. Alcach of a. Urtichote.

This vegetable is cultivated for its fleshy flower-heads, which are produced from September first till frost. They are cut before the flower opens, and are treated like Asparagus.

CULTURE.—Sow the seed in spring in a rich, light, loamy soil, in drills about ten inches apart. Transplant the following spring into permanent beds, in hills three feet apart and two or three plants to the hill. In autumn cut down the old stalks and cover with a mulch of leaves or litter, to protect from frost.

Per pkt. Per oz. ½ lb. Per lb.

Large French Globe. The best variety. Buds large, deep, purplish green; the scales very thick and fleshy . . . . . . \$0 10 \$0 30 \$1 00 \$3 00 Per qt. Per pk.

Jerusalem Artichokes. Grown for the tubers . . . . . \$0 25 \$1 25 \$4 00

# Asparagus.

ASPERGE. Esparrago. Spargel.

This is one of the finest of spring vegetables, and no garden should be without its Asparagus bed. A bed once established, produces a larger quantity of wholesome, palatable food, in proportion to the care it requires, than almost any other vegetable.

CULTURE.—We would recommend the beginner to secure Asparagus roots, rather than try to grow them himself from the seed, as the bed will come into bearing two years sooner in the former case than in the latter. The first and most important requisite for an Asparagus bed is rich soil; the ground should be well trenched and thoroughly enriched with rotted manure—the more the better. The plants should be set in April, in rows about a foot apart and about 18 inches apart in the rows, the crowns being covered with three or four inches of earth. Cutting may begin the following spring, though sparingly the first year. Each year the tops should be cut down in autumn, and the bed given a good dressing of manure and a liberal application of coarse salt. This should be forked into the ground in early spring.

If grown from seed, it may be planted in drills in the permanent bed and thinned out, or may be planted elsewhere and set out in the bed the second year. A bed 6 feet wide and 50 feet long will supply an ordinary family; this will require one pound of seed or 300 plants.

Strong 2-year-old roots, \$1.50 per 100, \$10 per 1,000.

# Beans.

HARICOTS NAINS. Frijoles Krup-Bohnen.

### Dwarf or Bush Beans.

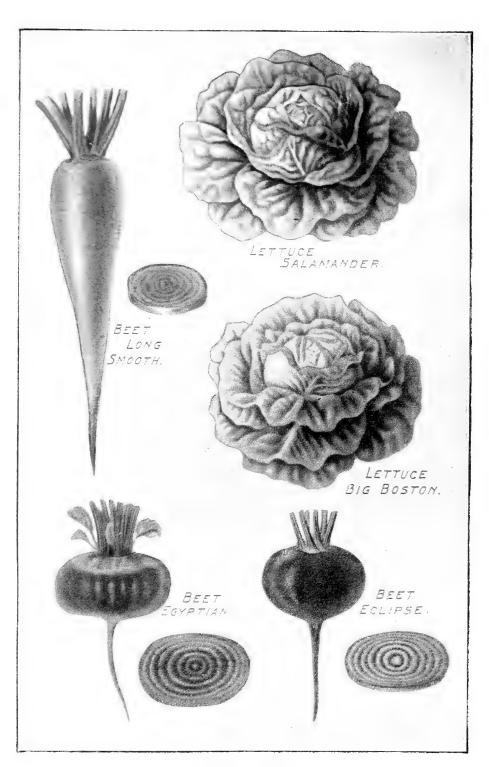
Culture.—Sow in a succession from the last of April to the middle of August, in drills about 18 inches apart and 2 inches deep, dropping the beans 2 or 3 inches apart in the drill. Never hoe when the leaves are wet, as the plants are liable to rust. One quart to 100 feet of drill; two bushels to the acre.

Postage 15 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid.  $WAX = PODDED\ VARIETIES.$ 

Per	qt.	½ pk.	Per pk,	Γer bu.
Yosemite Mammoth Wax. The giant among Wax Beans. The pods are eight to ten inches long, thick and fleshy, perfectly stringless, handsome in appearance and delicious in taste; a	4	/2 P	<b>F</b>	
heavy yielder	50	\$I 75	\$3 00	
Wardwell's Kidney Wax. A very hardy sort, especially suitable to market gardeners on account of its freedom from rust. Pods long and flat, waxy yellow, perfectly stringless and of fine flavor;		. 73	3	
very early and productive	30	I 00	1 75	\$6 oo
Improved Golden Wax. An early variety, holding the pods well clear of the ground. Pods golden yellow, tender, of good substance.	30	90	I 50	5 50
Flageolet Red Wax. A desirable variety, almost exempt from rust. Pods often a foot long golden yellow, tender and good;				
ripe Beans red	35	1 00	1 75	* 6 50
Black Wax. Very early and delicious; round, yellow pods	25	90	1 50	5 50
Black-Eyed Wax. A cross between Golden and Black Wax.				_
Very early and very productive, yellow pods	30	1 00	1 75	6 50
Golden-Eyed Wax. Very hardy and prolific, with flat, yellow pods;	25	T 00		6 00
very early and exceptionally free from rust	35	1 00	1 75	6 00
<b>Refugee Wax.</b> A perfect Refugee, with long round, yellow waxy pods. The earliest wax Bean in cultivation. Suitable for early				
or late sowing, and an immense yielder	40	1 50	2 00	7 50
White Wax. Flat yellow pods	30	90	I 50	5 50
GREEN-PODDED VARIETIES.	-	_	_	
Extra Early Round-Pod Red Valentine. The earliest variety, pods being in condition in five weeks from time of planting. Very productive, the pods fleshy and tender. We recommend				
this Bean to any one—the best for family use or for the market.	25	75	1 25	4 50
<b>Early Mohawk.</b> An early and hardy sort, especially suitable for first planting, as it withstands more cold than most others. Pods pale green, long and flat	25	75	I 25	4 50
Early Long Yellow Six=Weeks. A desirable sort, with very	-5	13	5	7 3-
long, pale green pods; Beans yellow when ripe Extra Early Refugee. Very productive sort. Pods tender and	30	90	1 50	5 00
of fine flavor; much grown for pickling	35	1 25	1 75	6 оо
ingly productive; also suitable for forcing	30	90	1 50	5 00
Best of All. Early and superior; round, green fleshy pods	30	90	1 50	5 oo
<b>Dwarf Horticultural.</b> Late and productive	30	90	1 50	5 00
Refugee or 1,000-to=1. Medium to late; very productive and tender, and largely grown for main crop; round pod	25	75	1 25	4 00
Golden Refugee. Has round pods of light color; strong growth,		00	* 50	- 00
and very productive	30	90	1 50	5 00
<b>Bush Lima.</b> This dwarf Lima is rapidly taking the place of the tall pole Beans, as it is easier to cultivate, requiring no unsightly poles, and is two weeks earlier. The quality is equal to that of				
any pole Bean	50	I 75	3 00	10 00



KING OF THE GARDEN LIMA BEAN. (See page 13.)



The Best Varieties.

## Pole or Running Beans.

HARICOTS A RAMES. Frijole de Bejuco. Stangen-Bohnen.

CULTURE.—Plant the last of May, in hills about four feet apart each way, setting a strong pole in the center of each hill. One quart to 150 hills; ten to twelve quarts to the acre.

Postage, 15 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid.

	½ pk.	Per pk.	Per bu.
Early Jersey Lima. The earliest of the Pole Limas; in quality			
and productiveness equal to the Large White Lima \$0 50	\$1 25	\$2 75	\$8 oo
Large White Lima. A universal favorite, and probably the most			
generally grown of all Limas 40	1 50	2 75	8 00
Small White Lima or Sieva. Small, but very good quatity 40	I 25	2 00	7 00
King of the Garden Lima. Large in pod and bean; productive.			
(See illustration.) 50	I 75	3 00	10 00
Dreer Lima. Thick, and of fine quality 40	1 50	2 75	8 oo
Horticultural or Speckled Cranberry. Showy, and excellent,			
either as a snap or shell Bean	1 00	I 75	6 oo
Dutch Case-Knife. Pods long, green, and flat; can be either			
snapped or shelled	1 00	I 75	б оо
Black German Wax. Has yellow pods; a superb snap Bean 40	I 25	2 25	8 00
Early Golden Cluster. The best of the pole edible-pod Beans, remaining in bearing from the middle of July till frost. Pods			
golden yellow, plump and tender 50	1 75	3 00	10 00
Scarlet Runner. A variety used both as string Beans and shelled.  The flowers are bright scarlet, very ornamental; the seeds are			
mottled purple when ripe	1 25	· 2 CO	7 00
White Dutch Runner. Same habit as the Scarlet Runner, flowers			
and Beans being white 40	I 25	2 25	8 00

## English Dwarf Beans.

Feve de Marais. Haba. Große Bohnen.

CULTURE.—Sow in drills two feet apart, as early in the spring as the ground can be worked (these are as hardy as Peas), in order to get them into pod before the heat of summer. When in pod, break off the top of the plant to check the growth. Plant and hoe same as for Dwarf Beans. A strong soil suits them best. These beans are eaten shelled.

	Per qt.	½ pk.	Per pk.	Per lb.
Early Mazagan. The earliest of this class	\$0 25	\$0 75	\$1 25	\$4 00
Broad Windsor. The largest and best of the class of Er				
Dwarf Beans for main crop; good	25	75	I 25	4 50
Early Long Pod. A size smaller than Windsor				
Green Nonpareil. A green "Long-Pod"	25	75	1 25	4 00



Betterave. Remolacha. Salatrüben.

The qualities of a good Beet are medium size, bright color, firm, even flesh, and freedom from stringiness. The roots are used as a boiled vegetable in salads and for pickling, while the tops make good "greens,"

CULTURE.—The seed should be sown in early spring, and for succession until the first of July, in a rich, light, loamy soil which has been thoroughly pulverized. Sow in drills a foot apart, and thin the plants to six inches apart in the rows. One ounce to 50 feet of drill; five to six pounds to the acre.

Postage on ½1b. or more, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

Extra=Early Dark Egyptian. Root flat, turnip-shaped, dark blood-red; tops small. The best variety for forcing . . . . \$0 05 \$0 10 \$0 25 \$0 60

Poots continued			
Beets, continued.  Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Extra=Early Eclipse. One of the best for private use. Root larger than Egyptian, nearly spherical; flesh dark red, with	<i>i</i>		
veins of lighter shade; crisp and tender	\$0 10	\$O 25	\$о бо
color; tender and very early	15	30	1 00
strain	10	20	75
Dewing's Early. Of fine form and flavor, and good for market 5	10	20	60
Bastian's. A very early light-colored turnip Beet 5	10	20	60
Early Bassano. Early, flat, light color 5	10	20	60
Edmand's Blood Turnip. A market-gardener's strain, of great regularity in shape; deep blood skin, and very dark flesh of best			
quality	10	20	бо
Long Smooth Blood. The very best late variety of Beet for			
winter use	10	. 20	6 <b>o</b>
Swiss Chard or Sea-Kale Beet. Grown for its leaves only, which are treated like Spinach	10	20	
. 101		30	75
Brazilian. Has very ornamental foliage; for borders 5	10	30	75
Mangel=Wurzel and Sugar Bee Golden Tankard Mangel=Wurzel. Bright yellow; handsome and	ts.		
sweet, and very productive	10	15	40
Mammoth Long Red Mangel=Wurzel. Very large selected		-3	40
strain	10	15	40
Mammoth Golden Globe Mangel=Wurzel	10	15	40
White Sugar Beet. Grows to a large size, and is useful for mak-			
ing sugar, as well as for stock-feeding	10	15	30
Vilmorin Improved Sugar. A much improved strain of the pre-			
ceding; very valuable as a sugar-producing Beet	10	15	40

# Broccoli.

Broccoli. Broculi. Spargelfohl.

CULTURE. - Same as for Cauliflower.

If by mail in quantities of $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. or more, postage must be added at rate of 8 cts.	per Ib.
White Cape. Heads medium size, close, compact, of creamy white	¼ lb.
color; one of the most certain to head \$0 15 \$0 60	\$2 00
Purple Cape. Differs from the preceding only in color	1 25
Walcheren. A valuable variety, with very large, firm heads	2 50

# Brussels Sprouts.

CHOU DE BRUXELLES. Berza de Brusels. Rosenfohl.

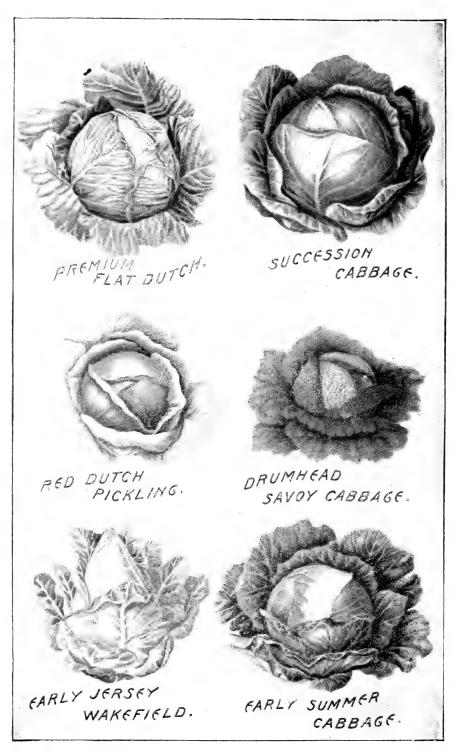
A variety of Cabbage having the stem covered with small, closely-crowded heads; excellent for the table, and popular.

CULTURE.—Same as for Cabbage.

Sent postpaid at the prices named.	D 1 .	D	v / 11.	D 11.
Tall Improved. A standard and reliable sort	Per pkt \$0 10			
Dwarf, Improved. Sprouts compact, of fine quality	10	30	75	2 50
Dalkeith. A new and improved variety. (See illustration.) .	15	50	1 50	



BRUSSELS SPROUTS. (See opposite page.)



The six most reliable Cabbages for succession and all purposes.

# Cabbage.

CHOU. Berza de repollo. Kohl.

The varieties of this standard vegetable named below are the best for general use, and can all be recommended for private use or for market-growing. It is very important to obtain Cabbage seed of carefully selected stocks, kept up, by rigid inspection, to a high type. Cheap seed will cause a loss in the crop. Our stocks are not excelled by any offered.

CULTURE.—Cabbage requires a rich, well-drained soil. For early crop the seed should be sown in the fall, about the middle of September, and wintered in coldframes, or sown in a hotbed in February. About the first of April the plants may be set out in the field, in rows about 2 feet apart and 18 inches apart in the row. For succession of crop, seed may be sown in April and planted out in May, and for late supply, seed sown in May may be planted out in July. One ounce will produce about 1,500 plants; one-half pound of seed will furnish plants sufficient for an acre.

Postage on ½ lb. and over, 8 cents per lb. extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, to cent,s postpaid.

Per	pkt.	Per oz.	¼ Ib.	Per lb.
<b>Early Jersey Wakefield.</b> The best early Cabbage, and an old favorite wherever grown. Heads good size, pyramidal in shape, solid and handsome. We can strongly recommend our stock of				
this Cabbage	0.10	\$0 30	\$o 8o	\$3 00
Early Summer. About two weeks later than the Jersey Wakefield, but producing compact heads twice the size of that variety. The best medium early Cabbage in the market; a great favorite with			0	
market gardeners	10	30	80	3 00
<b>Succession.</b> This follows after the Early Summer. The head is somewhat larger, of fine quality, even and compact in texture. Of comparatively recent introduction, and a favorite wherever				
grown	CI	30	80	3 00
Early Winnigstadt. A standard second early variety known and				
valued the country over	5	20	60	2 00
Selected All-Seasons. One of the finest for second early or late, growing to a large size quickly and surely; has attained great				
popularity in a few years	5	25	75	2 50
Fottler's Brunswick. Good solid heads, either for second-early				
or late	5	25	75	2 50
Large Late Drumhead. A standard and widely grown winter				
Cabbage for main crop	5	25	75	2 50
<b>Premium Flat Dutch, Selected.</b> The best of all the late Cabbages, bearing large, solid heads of good flavor and keeping				
qualities	10	20	75	2 50
<b>Drumhead Savoy.</b> The best of the Savoy Cabbages. These produce large heads, are of superior flavor, and should be in every				
private garden	IO	25	75	2 50
Dwarf Ulm Savoy	10	25	75	2 50
Red Dutch Pickling. The best of the red-fleshed Cabbages, and				
used mostly for pickling	10	25	75	2 50
Early Blood=Red Erfurt. Very early and compact	10	. 25	80	2 75

# Cardoon.

CARDOON. Cardo. Cardon.

CULTURE.—Sow early in spring, in rows, where they are to stand, and thin them to one foot apart. When full size, bind the plants together with straw or matting, and earth up like Celery to blanch. The stems of the leaves are used for salads, soups and stews.

# Carrot.

### CAROTTE. Zanahoria. Möhren.

CULTURE.—Soil a rich sandy loam. Sow for succession from early in spring to the middle of July, in rows about 15 inches apart, thinning the plants to five or six inches apart in the rows. Two pounds will sow an acre.

Postage on 15 lb. or more, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

Per p	kt.	Per oz.	1/4 lb.	Per lb.
Extra Early French Forcing. The earliest and best for growing				
in frames. Root small, nearly spherical, bright orange color,				
with tender flesh; a very desirable sort	05	\$0 15	\$0 40	\$1 00
T-u1 C-u1-4 H	5	15	40	1 00
Scarlet Intermediate. A very productive half-long pointed strain,				
quite popular in some sections	5	15	40	I 00
Half-Long Scarlet Stump-Rooted Nantes. An excellent sort,				
of good quality	5	15	40	I 00
Chantenay. Style of Nantes; broader shoulder	5	15	40	I 00
Carentan. Coreless; flesh red, of fine quality	5	15	40	I 00
Half-Long Danvers. One of the most productive. Roots even,				
bright orange, of good texture and fine flavor	5.	10	25	75
Improved Long Orange. Large, of deep coler and good texture;				
equally adapted for garden or field	5	10	25	75
Large White Belgian. For field culture	5	10	25	75
Altringham. Suitable either for garden or field	5 -	15	30	1 OO

# Cauliflower.

#### CHOU-FLEUR. Coliflor. Blumenfohl.

CULTURE.—Much the same as for Cabbage, but the soil should be more heavily manured-Like Cabbage, the seed may be sown in the fall and wintered in a coldframe for early crop. One ounce will produce about 1,500 plants.

Sent postpaid at the prices quoted.

Improved Snowball. By all odds the best Cauliflower known,		Per oz	. ¼ lb.
whether for the small private garden or to grow for market. It is a week earlier than any other variety, is more dwarf in			
habit, though the head is as large, and is more sure than any other variety of forming a head in a bad season	\$0 25	\$3 00	\$10 00
Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt. A favorite variety, much grown by mark gardeners. Early and good		3 50	12 00
Large Algiers. A large late sort	. 10	75	2 25
Lenormand's Short Stem. Has very large heads, white and firm .	. 10	75	2 25
Veitch's Autumn Giant. Vigorous in growth, and very large; late.	. 15	60	2 00

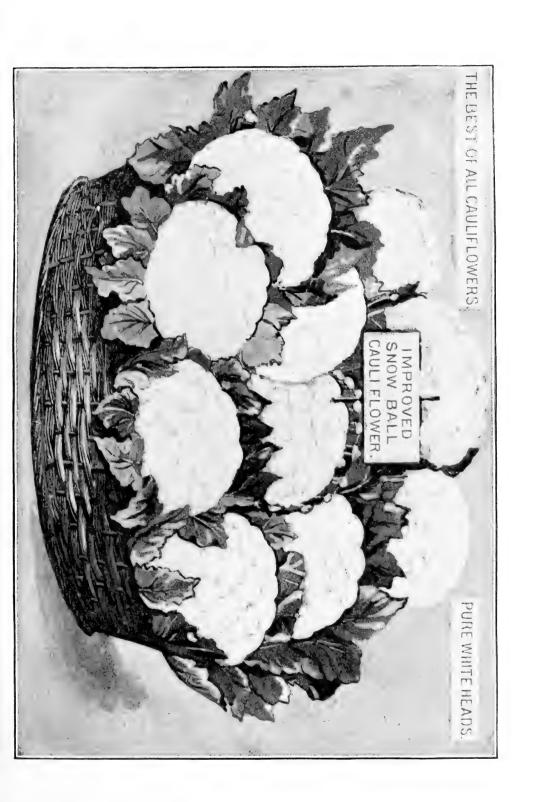
# Chervil.

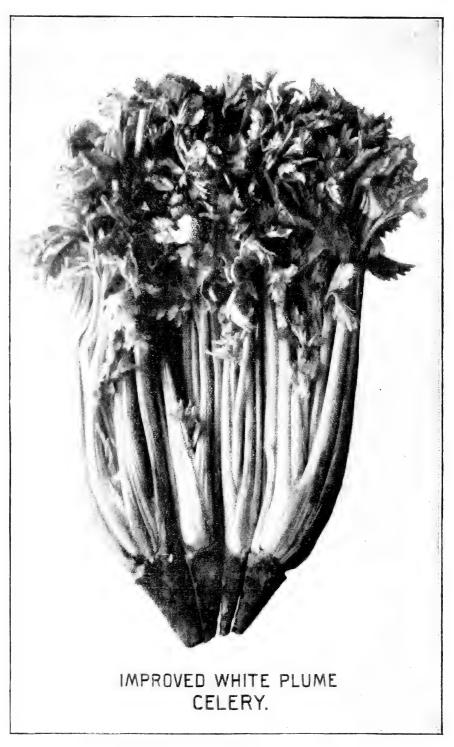
#### CERFEUIL. Perifollo. Bensenlauch.

A plant resembling Parsley. Grown for salads or for garnishing. Seed should be sown in succession, in shallow drills.

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per lb. if sent by mail; packet of either variety,

	3 cts. postpara.	Per pkt.	Per oz.	1/ lb.	Per lb.
Curled.	Beautiful foliage, used for garnishing				
Tuberou	s-rooted A variety with edible roots like Carrots	5	25	a' 8o	2 75





Our Selected Stock of this Popular Variety is Unsurpassed.

# Colery.

CELERI. Apio. Sellerie.

Celery is a most delicate and palatable autumn and winter relish, and should be in every garden. The recent varieties leave little to be desired, either in excellence or beauty.

CULTURE.—Sow the seed in rich soil early in spring, and keep free from weeds until early in July, when they can be transplanted to their permanent position, where they should be planted in rows about three feet apart and about six inches apart in the rows. Cultivate well and earth up carefully to blanch the stems, compacting the earth around them nearly to the top.

Sent postpaid at the prices named; packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid.	
Per pkt. Per oz. 1/41	lb. Per lb.
Giant Pascal. A new tall-growing variety, a little later than the	
White Plume. Requires but slight earthing up, and bleaches	
quickly The stalks are long, entirely stringless, and possess a rich, nutty flavor	nr #6 00
	75 #0 00
Improved White Plume. A variety of sterling worth, very early,	
and the handsomest Celery in the market, the tops being naturally almost white. Requires very little blanching	05 4 00
	25 4 00
Golden Self-blanching. In appearance resembling the White	
	50 5 00
Golden Dwarf. The great Kalamazoo favorite. Solid, of good	0
	80 3 00
Perfection Heartwell. The finest and largest of the winter varie-	
ties, either for the family or market garden. The heart is golden-	0
	80 3 00
Boston Market. Of vigorous growth and excellent flavor 10 25	75 2 50
Sandringham. Dwarf, white, small, solid 5 20	50 1 50
New Rose. Fine flavor, solid and crisp, keeps well	80 3 00
London Red. Popular English sort of distinct color	80 . 3 00
Soup Celery. (Old Seed). Excellent for flavoring	30
For Celery plants, see page 49.	
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# Celeriac, or Turnip=rooted Celery.

These have	edible roots,	which are	principally us	sed for	soups and	stews.	Requi	res no
earthing up.								
Erfurt Giant.	The best of	the class;	roots of larg	ge size	Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
fine flavor					\$0 10	\$0 30	\$o 8o	\$3 00
Large Smooth	Prague. A	very fine v	ariety		10	30	8o	3 00

# Chicory.

The roots, roasted, are used as a substitute for coffee; these are grown commercially to a considerable extent.

# Corn Salad or Fetticus.

MACHE. Macha o Valerianilla. Stechfalat.

Largely grown as a winter salad. Sow in September, and on the approach of winter cover with straw or boards.

Postage on ½lb. or over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.							
		Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.		
Large or Small-seeded.	Either variety	\$0 05	\$0 10	\$0 25	\$0 75		

# Corn, Sweet or Sugar.

Mais. Maiz. Mais.

This distinctively American vegetable is everywhere esteemed, and few gardens are with-There are many good kinds in the market, but we offer below the very best.

CULTURE.—Sweet Corn does best in a warm, rather dry, but highly enriched soil. Seed may be planted in hills (about six kernels to the hill) about three feet apart each way, at intervals from the middle of May to the first of July. By sowing in succession, the proper varieties of Corn fit for the table may be had until hard frost. One quart for 200 hills, eight to ten quarts to the acre.

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Postage 10 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail; packet of an	-		cts. po	stpaid.
Extra Early Cory. The earliest Sweet Corn. Ears large, light colored, of good flavor; cob red. We can recommend this Corn strongly to any one, whether growing for own use or	qt.	½ pk.	Per pk.	Per bu,
market		\$o 6o	\$1 00	\$4 00
Crosby's Early. A good variety, with rather small ears, but very productive		60	I 00	4 00
Ne Plus Ultra (Country Gentleman). One of the sweetest; cf				,
medium earliness; the grains are set irregularly, not in rows <b>Early Minnesota.</b> Very early, and desirable alike in the market	_	75	I 25	5 00
or family garden	20	бо	I 00	4 00
<b>Hickox Improved.</b> Perhaps the best second early Corn. Much grown for both market and canning. Ears large, white and full	20	60	I 00	4 00
Moore's Early Concord. Ears large and well filled; early and unsurpassed for richness and delicacy of flavor		60	I 00	4 00
Perry's Hybrid. An early, twelve-rowed variety, growing only four to five feet high, with ears as long as the Crosby, and set very low on the stalk. Kernels white, large, sweet and very tender.		бо	I 00	4 00
<b>Squantum.</b> One of the sweetest varieties, and is largely used for market and canning. It is a general favorite, and is wonderfully		6.		
productive		60	I 00	4 00
peculiarly rich and sweet. It is grown in large quantities for both canning and for selling in the green state. Like all other large				
varieties, it matures late		60	I CO	4 00
<b>Mammoth.</b> A late variety, producing ears of very large size and fine flavor. It is unusually productive		60	I 00	4 50
Stowell's Evergreen. Now recognized everywhere as a standard variety, both for home use and market, and is the general favorite. The ears are of a large size, grains deep and exceptionally tender and sugary; has the advantage of remaining				
longer in the green state than any other	20	60	1 00	4 °o
Black Mexican. Very sweet and of superior flavor; grains black.	20	6э	i oo	4 00
For Field and Fodder Corn, see page 53.				

# Collards.

CHOU CABU. Cabu. Blatterfohi.

CULTURE. Sow seed, as for Cabbage, in June, July and August, for succession. Transplant when one month old, in rows a foot apart each way, and hoe frequently.

		Per pkt.			
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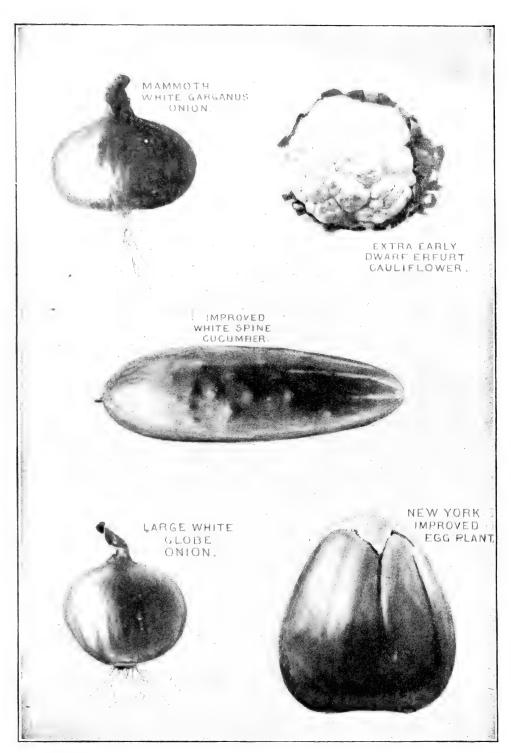
CAMBRIDGE HILL, R I, May 1, 1892.

MESSRS. PITCHER & MANDA.

Gentlemen:—I write to express the satisfaction your seeds gave me. I have sown this spring, but yours have surpassed them all. I think nearly every seed has come up. Yours truly, I have sown seeds from several firms F. J. Vose.



The Standard Variety, being the largest, most productive and sweetest of all kinds.



All the above are Leading Varieties.

#### Cress.

CRESSON. Berro o Mastuerzo.. Kreffe.

Well-known salad, much used for garnishing. Must be sown in succession, as it quickly runs to seed.

Postage on 1/2 lb, or over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

				Per pkt.			
Curled Cress or Pep	per Grass		 	. \$0 05	\$0 10	\$0 20	\$0 40
Water Cress, True.	May be grown in any stream	m	 	10	50	I 00	4 00

## Cucumber.

Concombre. Pepino. Gurte.

CULTURE —For very early crop, plant seed in small pots in the house. For general crop sow ahout the middle of May and in succession till the first of July, in hills about four feet apart each way. A sandy loam suits them best, and a shovelful of well-rotted manure should be thoroughly mixed in each hill before planting. One ounce for 50 hills; two to three pounds to the acre-

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail.

Per pkt. Per oz. ¼ lb. Per lb.
<b>New Everbearing.</b> Very early, producing a great number of
small sized, evenly formed fruits. One of the best for pickling \$0 10 \$0 50 \$1 50 \$5 00
Improved Early White Spine. Fruit large and well formed,
dark green, and of fine flavor
Extra Early Green Prolific. Small, of a uniform size, and dark
green. Good variety for pickling 5 10 30 75
<b>Giant Pera.</b> Very long. A fine and distinct variety for table use;
of recent introduction
Extra Long White Spine. Very fine shape for market; used also
for forcing
Nichol's Medium Green. A very fine table sort of medium size,
and exceedingly productive; the best for general purposes 5 10 30 75
Long Green. Long dark green and of excellent quality; firm
and crisp
Short Green or Gherkin. Good for pickling; productive 5 10 30 75
West India Gherkin or Burr. Very small burr, for pickling 5 20 60 2 00

#### English Frame or Forcing Varieties.

Cuthill's, Black Spine, Blue Gown, Improved Sion House, Lord Kenyon's Favorite, Telegraph. Per pkt , 25 cents.

### Dandelion.

Pissenlit. Amargon. Pardeblum.

CULTURE.—The seed should be sown in drills 18 inches apart and half an inch deep. The leaves are best for salad when blanched, which can be done by partially shading the rows with boards.

Postage on ½1b. or over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail.

		Per pkt.	Per oz.	4 lb. Per lb.
Improved Broad-leaved.	The best sort	. \$0 10	\$0 30 \$1	00 \$3 00
Common		5	20	6o

#### Egg-Plant.

#### Aubergine. Berengena. Eierpflange.

CULTURE.—Sow seed in hotbeds early in spring, and set out the young plants when the weather is favorable, in rows three feet apart and two feet apart in the rows.

Sent postpaid at these prices.			
Per pk	t. Per oz	. ¼ lb.	Per lb.
Improved New York Purple. The most useful sort, and grown			
ten to one of any other everywhere. Fruit large, and of good			
quality			
Black Pekin. Fruit round, deep black, solid	40	1 25	4 00
Early Long Purple. Of distinct shape and fine quality; preferred			
by some	40	I 25	4 00

#### Endive.

CHICOREE. Escarola o Endivia. Endiven.

CULTURE.—Sow seed in July or August, and when the leaves are six or eight inches long, tie together in a bunch at the top to blanch the inner leaves.

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

Green Curled Winter. The standard sort for fall and winter	er pkt.	Per oz	¼ lb.	Per lb.
crop	\$0 IO	<b>\$</b> 0 20	\$0 50	\$1 50
White Curled. For early use, for which it is desirable	. Io	20	50,	1 50
Moss Curled. Fine crisp French sort for fall and winter	. 10	20	50	1 50
Broad=leaved (Escarolle). A sweet variety for fall and winter	. 10	25	бо	2 00

#### Kale or Borecole.

CHOU VERT FRISE. Col. Blätterfohl.

CULTURE.—Sow in hotbed in early spring, and when the weather permits transplant and treat as Cabbage. These will be in condition to use during the fall and winter, as cold weather improves rather than injures them.

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Dwarf Green Curled Scotch. Though less than 18 inches high,			
a single plant is often three feet in diameter. The best			
variety	\$0 20	\$0 60	\$2 00
Siberian, German Greens, or "Sprouts." Treated as Spin-			
ach; sown in September for winter and spring use 5	ΙO	25	75
Brown German Curled. Dull purple. The German's favorite 5.	. 15	35	1 25

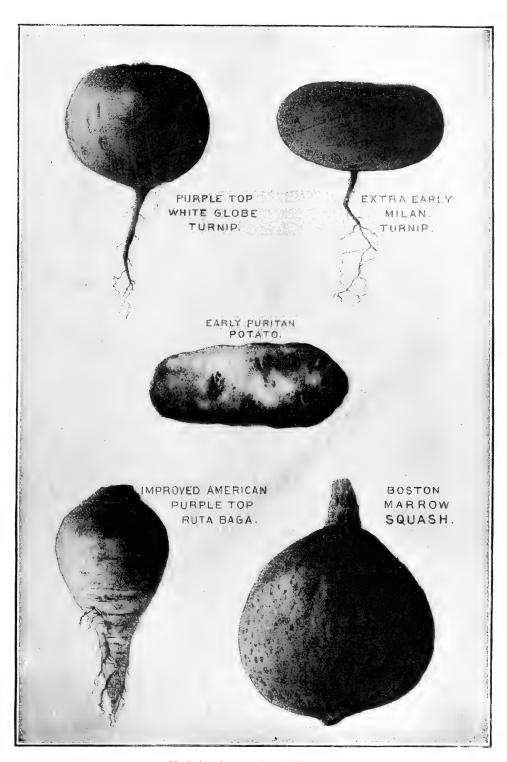
### Kohlrabi or Turnip-Rooted Cabbage.

CHOU-RAVE. Colinabo. Kohlrabi.

The thickened stem above ground is cooked and used like Turnips. They are also grown in the same manner as that vegetable.

Sent postpaid at prices named.

	Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb•
Early White Vienna. White and tender. Must be used whe	n .			
young, as it becomes stringy with age. The best sort	. \$o io	<b>≸</b> 0 25	<b>\$</b> 0 75	\$2 50
Early Purple Vienna. Stem purple	10	30	85	3 00



Varieties that can be relied upor.



PARIS WHITE COS LETTUCE.

#### Leek.

Poireau. Puerro. Porro.

CULTURE.—Sow the seed as early as possible in the spring, in rows about six inches apart, and thin to an inch apart. When six or seven inches high they may be transplanted to 12 inches apart each way.

		Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	rer lb
Large America	in Flag. The variety most grown; hardy and of				
good quality		\$0 10	<b>\$</b> 0 25	\$0 75	\$2 50
Musselburgh.	Grows to a large size, very hardy	. 10	25	75	2 50
Large Rouen.	A standard sort, remaining long in good condition	1. 10	25	7.5	2 50

### Lettuce.

Laitue. Lechuga. Salat.

CULTURE.—To obtain good Lettuce, a rich, open soil and an abundant supply of moisture during the entire growing season are necessary. Seed may be sown in hotbeds in March, to be set out when weather permits, and in the open ground from early April to the middle of August for a succession. Plants should be set a foot apart each way. The Cos varieties will require tying when grown, in order to blanch the leaves. One ounce will sow 150 feet of drill, and produce about 3,000 plants.

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

#### Head or Cabbage Lettuce.

P	er pkt.	Per oz.	1/2 lb.	Per lb.
P. & M.'s Ice. See Novelties	0 50		74	
Early Curled Simpson. One of the earliest and best sorts for				
either family or market use. The leaves are large, very much				
crumpled, dark green. The best variety for coldframes, and				
equally good for open ground	. 5	\$o 15	\$0 50	\$I 50
Black-seeded Simpson. Larger than the Early Curled. Leave	S			
light green, very thin and tender	. 10	20	50	I 50
Big Boston. One of the best forcing varieties. Head large	,			
very compact and crisp; light green	. 10	25	75	2 00
Tennisball, Black Seed. A well-known sort, forming a solid head	l			
with few spreading leaves of light green. Good for forcing .		20	50	I 50
Boston Market, White Seed. A well-known variety, forming	g		_	_
compact, light green heads	. 10	20	50	I 50
Yellow-seeded Butter. A very desirable sort for summer, as i				
withstands the heat better than most. Head large, compact, o	£			
good flavor	. 5	20	50	1 50
Black-seeded Butter. Good for main summer or spring crop	5	20	50	I 50
Salamander Head. Another good summer sort		20	50	I 50
Neapolitan (Henderson's New York). One of the best summer varie-			2	5
ties. Large heads very solid, and of first-rate flavor		25	75	2 00
Hanson. We can recommend this as one of the very best. Outer			75	
leaves bright green, with prominent light-colored veins; inner				
leaves white, and usually curved and twisted at the base. Ex				
tensively grown by market-gardeners and truckers, as it is always	3			
sure to make large, handsome heads of excellent quality	5	20	50	1 50
Grand Rapids Forcing. Extra large, tender heads; one of the				
best early forcing varieties grown	01	30	85	3 00
Deacon. A large solid Cabbage-lettuce for summer	. 5	20	50	I 50
All-the-Year-Round. Useful either for forcing or out of doors;	ı			
standard sort	5	20	50	I 50
Hardy tireen Winter. One of the best winter varieties. Very				_
hardy, and forms a solid head	. 5	20	50	I 50
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The above Melons combine all commendable qualities.

#### Cos Lettuce.

These sorts form a compact, conical-shaped head. They are the principal Lettuces grown in Europe, and are very sweet and tender. Especially useful for summer and autumn use. Should be tied up to blanch well. See sectional illustration.

### Martynia.

(For Pickles.) Gemsenhorn.

CULTURE.—Sow in May in the open ground, three feet apart in each direction, where the plants are to remain; or, the seed may be sown in a hotbed, and the seedlings afterward transplanted. Very productive, and fine for pickles. Pick when small and tender, and preserve the same as Cucumbers.

## Melon, Musk.

MELON MUSCADE, Melon Muscatel. Cantalupen.

CULTURE.—Sow seed about the middle of May, in hills about five feet apart each way, 10 to 15 seeds being planted in a hill. Before planting, the earth should be thoroughly enriched by the addition of a shovelful or two of thoroughly rotted manure. If the growth is rank, pinch back, and if the fruit is thinned out, those that remain will be of better quality. One ounce will plant 60 hills; two to three pounds to the acre.

#### Postage on ½lb. or over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, 5 cts., postpaid.

Pe	r pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Improved Christiana. One of the best, and very early; flesh bright	•		, ,	
orange, of a peculiarly pleasant flavor	05	\$0 20	\$0 35	\$1 00
Extra-early Hackensack. Very early. Fruit large, in shape a				
flat spheroid; skin netted; flesh green, of the most deliciously				
sweet flavor. The best of the early netted Melons	. 5	15	25	75
Hackensack. The preceding is a selected strain of this old market-		3	5	73
gardeners' favorite. About 10 days later than the Extra-early.	5	15	25	75
Improved Jenny Lind. One of the earliest and sweetest Melons				
in cultivation. Fruit small, but of extra-fine flavor and quality.	10	20	75	2 50
Emerald Gem. Very early. Fruit small, of fine flavor; flesh very				
thick, of a deep salmon color; skin smooth, deep green. A stand-				
ard and very productive sort	IO	20	35	I 00
Montreal Market. One of the largest Muskmelons. Deeply				
ribbed, netted green skin; flesh light green, of fine flavor	5	15	25	75
Improved Nutmeg. Fruit nutmeg shape; skin deep green, finely	5	-3	,	13
netted; flesh greenish yellow, rich and sugary	5	15	25	75
Baltimore or Acme. A green-fleshed, productive and excellent	)	- 3	~ )	/3
shipping Melon, of oblong form	5	15	30	I 00
Golden Netted Gem. Very early, small, and of good flavor	-5	15	30	I 00
<b>Delmonico.</b> Oval, deeply netted, large size; orange flesh				I 00
	5	15	30	1 00
Green Citron. This excellent sort is of medium size, deeply netted,				
of globular shape, and six to eight inches in diameter. Flesh				2.22
green and of fine flavor	10	20	35	I 00
Skillman's Netted. Form roundish oval; flesh deep green, sweet				
and richly perfumed. An early and delicious variety	5	15	30	1 00
Ward's Nectar. Small, finely netted; dark green flesh. Very				
early and fine flavored	5	15	30	1 00

## Melon, Water.

MELON D'EAU. Zandia. Waffermelone.

CULTURE.—The same as for Muskmelons, except that the hills should be about eight feet apart each way. Watermelons are grown in their greatest perfection in the southern states; Georgia alone shipped to the north nearly a hundred million melons in the season of 1892. They do best in a rich, sandy soil, and delight in bright sunshine. One ounce will plant 30 hills; four to five pounds to the acre.

Postage on  $^{1}{}_{2}$ lb. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail. Packet of any variety, 5 cts. postpaid.

Kolb's Gem. Fruit very large, nearly round, striped dark and	pkt.	Per oz.	1/4 lb.	Per lb.
light green. Flesh bright red, sweet and tender; rind thin, but very hard, making this the best shipping melon; it is very largely grown in Georgia	0.5	\$0.10	\$0 25	\$º 75
Ruby Gold. A good variety. Fruit medium to large, with thin rind				
and tender, fine-flavored flesh	5	15	30	1 00
white	5	10	25	75
flavor	5	10	25	75
Mammoth Ironclad. The largest Watermelon grown, specimens sometimes weighing 100 pounds. Late, of oblong shape, with solid, red flesh of fine flavor, and thin, hard rind; is an excel-				
lent shipping variety	5	10	25	75
Citron. For preserving. Red seed		10	25	75
Hungarian Honey. A very early sort from Hungary. Fine for northern latitudes. Perfectly round; flesh brilliant red; seeds very small; very thin rind, and of first-rate quality	5	. 15	30	I 00
Green and Gold. Golden orange flesh; skin very dark green. It	5			
	5	10	25	75
Jordan's Gray Monarch. This distinct Melon is the largest of all.  The skin is a mottled gray; shape long; flesh bright crimson and of sweet, delicious flavor. It is also a fine shipper	5	10	25	75
The Boss. Oblong, dark green; flesh deep scarlet, and rind thin; a good variety for home growing	5	10	25	75
The Volga. Light, pale green skin. A round Russian Melon, with red flesh; late	5	10	25	75
<b>Dixie.</b> A new Melon of excellent quality; very large and solid. Flesh red; skin dark green, beautifully striped; very early and enor-	~	10	25	75
mously productive	5	10	23	/3
flesh, solid and sweet	5	10	25	75
crisp, delicate and sweet	5	10	25	75
Phinney's Early Oval. Very early and sweet; flesh deep red; fine for the home garden	5	10	25	75
<b>Black Spanish.</b> Round; very dark green, with scarlet flesh and black seeds; very thin rind; of delicious flavor and very sweet.	5	10	25	75
Scaly Bark. A very large oblong variety, with a dark, tough rind; crimson flesh, very solid, remarkably sweet and free from fibre.	5	10	30	1 00
<b>Southern Rattlesnake</b> or <b>Gypsy.</b> A very large, striped variety of oblong shape; flesh scarlet and of superior quality	5	10	25	75
<b>Pride of Georgia.</b> A southern variety, with a hard rind, which makes it valuable for shipping. Flesh bright red; ripens up				
well, and is of excellent quality	5	10	25	75

### Mushroom Spawn.

Blanc de Champignon. Seta. Champignonbrut.

CULTURE.—We have not space here to give sufficient directions for the cultivation of this popular vegetable. Full printed directions are sent with every order.

Postage, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

English Spawn.	The most extensively grown. Comes in the form of bricks	Per lb.
	per 10 lbs., \$1; 100 lbs., \$9	\$0 12
French Spawn.	Comes loose, in two pound boxes	. 30

#### Mustard.

Moutarde. Mostaza. Senf.

CULTURE.—Sow thickly during early spring, in shallow drills, and press the earth well down. For fall salad, sow in September; or in frames or boxes during winter.

Ter	UZ.	74 10.	rerib.
Black. The seeds form the Mustard of commerce	05	<b>5</b> 0 15	\$0 40
White London. Leaves used for salad while young; grows very rapidly.	5	15	40
Chinese Broad-leaved. Leaves of agreeable flavor when cooked like			
Spinach	10	30	I 00

#### Masturtium.

CAPUCINE. Maraneula. Nasturtium.

CULTURE.—Sow as soon as all danger of frost is past, in drills about an inch deep. The tall kinds require fences or poles on which to climb. The seeds are used in flavoring Pickles, or as a substitute for Capers.

Tall Nast	urtium	Mixed												¼ lb. \$0 40			
Dwarf	66	6.6										5	15	50	Ι	50	5

### Okra or Gombo.

GOMBAUD. Quimbombo. Safran.

Distinctively a southern vegetable, but of the easiest cultivation anywhere. The long pods are used in soups and stews.

CULTURE.—Sow the seed in drills three feet apart, and thin to 10 to 12 inches apart in the rows.

Postage on ½1b or over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail.

White Velvet.	Pods white, long smoo	th;	ve	ry	te	$nd\epsilon$	r;	ре	erl	aj		ркі,	rei oz.	½ 10.	rei ib.
the best vari	iety grown		٠.					٠.			\$о	05	\$o 1o	\$0 25	\$0 75
Long Green.	Long green, ribbed pods											5	10	20	60
	Early and productive													20	60
Dwarf White												5	10	20	бо

OTTAWA, ONT., March 14, 1892.

Per oz

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I have to thank you for the costly and most excellent Catalogue, which I had the pleasure of receiving this morning.

J. R. Chamberlain.

EDITORIAL ROOMS, NEW ENGLAND HOMESTEAD, SPRINGFIELD, MASS., March 10, 1892.

Thanks for your Catalogue received. It is a magnificent one, and the finest I have seen.

E. C. Powell. Assistant Editor.

## Onion.

Oignon. Cebolla. Swiebeln.

CULTURE.—To raise Onions a rich, sandy loam is best. The seed should be sown in early spring in drills a foot apart, and when the plants are well up they should be thinned to three or four inches apart in the rows. Thorough cultivation through the summer is necessary to keep down the weeds. One ounce will sow roo feet of drill; five to six pounds to the acre.

Postage on blb. or over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

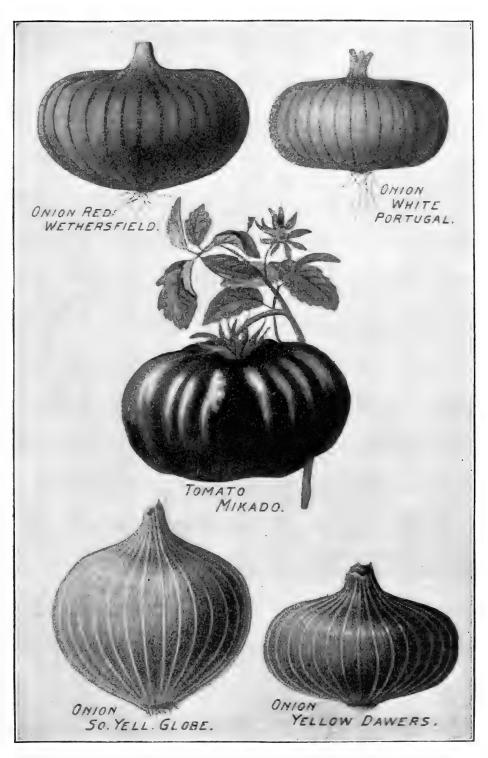
Mammoth White Garganus or Silver King. The bulbs of this immense Onion often weigh from two to four pounds, and are of symmetrical shape with silvery white skin, and	okt.	Per oz.	⅓ Ib.	Per lb.
white flesh of a mild and pleasant flavor \$0	IO	\$0 30	\$0 75	\$2 50
Mammoth Red Garganus or Pompeii. Produces Onions four				
to five pounds each, skin delicate red, mild flavor. Superior for	•			
growing in the southern states	10	30	75	2 50
for private use. When young the bulbs are much used for				
pickling	IO	25	75	2 50
Southport Yellow Globe. Bulb nearly globular, of fine appear-		,	, ,	
ance, and mild, pleasant flavor	IO	25	75	2 50
Large Red Globe. Similar to the preceding, except in color	5	20	50	1 50
Yellow Globe Danvers. Shape a flattened spheroid. Thin yellow skin, white flesh of mild and delicious flavor; a good keeper and a standard sort, which we can recommend with confidence				
to any one	5	20	60	2 00
Round Yellow Danvers. A standard market sort; good size, good			_	
keeper	5	20	60	2 00
Large Red Wethersfield. Large size, with reddish purple skin and purplish flesh. A very productive Onion, and extensively				
grown	5	20	40	I 50
Extra Early Flat Red. Color light red; the earliest variety of all.	5	. 20	50	1 50
Adriatic Barletta. A small white Italian sort; the earliest of all .	5	30	90	3 00
Queen. Very early small white variety	5	20	60	2 00
White Globe. Large Southport strain	5	30	90	3 00
White Italian Tripoli. Excellent variety, of quick growth and				
mild flavor	5	20	60	2 00
Red Italian Tripoli. Similar to above, except in color	5	20	60	2 00
White Flat Bermuda. True imported seed; very early, and suc-				
ceeds well in the south	5	25	75	3 00
Red Flat Bermuda. Very early	5	25	75	3 00
Giant Rocca. A very large variety from Naples; bright brown skin, and delicate flavor; globular in shape	5	20	60	2 00

#### Onion Sets, Potato Onions, Etc.

These are planted where Onion seed will not mature bulbs the first season, and for early use, as they bring in bulbs in much less time than from seed.

Postage, 10 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail.

	•					-							Pe	r qt.	1/2	pk.	Per	ρk.	Per bus.
Yellow Onion Sets													\$0	25	\$0	80	\$1	50	\$5 00
White Onion Sets.						.*								30		90	1	50	5 00
Red Onion Sets														25		75	1	25	4 00
Potato Onion Sets														30	I	25	2	00	
Shallots														40	I	50	2	50	
Garlic Sets							D	er	1b	40	С	ts							



Select Varieties which we highly recommend for Market, Garden and Private use.

### Orach or French Spinach.

Arroche. Armuella.

CULTURE.—Sow as early in spring as the ground can be gotten in order; cultivate and use like Spinach, which it greatly resembles.

Postage on Islb. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

							Peı	pkt.	Per oz.	√2 lb.	Per lb*
Red.	Distinct; dark red leaves						\$о	05	\$0 15	\$0 30	\$I 00
White	e. Pale-green leaves; almost yellow							5	15	30	I 00

#### Parsnip.

Panais. Chirivia. Pastinafe.

CULTURE.—Sow early in spring in drills about 15 inches apart, and when the plants are well up thin to about eight inches apart in the rows. Parsnips are improved by freezing. One ounce will sow 200 feet of drill.

Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per ib. extra, if sent by mail.

Hollow Crown. The best variety, and the one most generally	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per Ib.
cultivated; tender, and of good flavor	\$0 IO	\$0 25	\$о б <b>о</b>
Long Smooth. A fine-flavored variety			бо
Early Round. An early variety, but of small size		25	бо
Maltese. Not quite as long as the Long Smooth		25	бо

#### Parsley.

PERSIL. Perijil. Petersilie.

CULTURE.—Sow in very early spring, previously soaking the seeds for several hours in warm water, in drills about a foot apart. Thin out the plants to three or four inches apart in the rows. Protect by a coldframe for winter use, and this useful and appetizing relish can be had at hand every month in the year. One ounce will sow 150 feet of drill.

#### Postage on ½1b. and over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail.

Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
\$o 10	\$0 30	\$I 00
10	30	I 00
10	30	1 00
10	30	I 00
15	30	1 0 <b>0</b>
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<sup>[</sup>Extract from Newport Observer, June 30, 1892, relating to Horticultural Show in Masonic Hall:] "For the best collection of not less than eight varieties of Vegetables, Mr. James Gohm takes the special

<sup>&</sup>quot;For the best collection of not less than eight varieties of Vegetables, Mr. James Gohm takes the special prize without any trouble, and also takes first prizes for Tomatoes, Potatoes, Beans, Asparagus, Beets, Onions, Carrots and Radishes; all fine specimens in full growth."

We take pleasure in informing our customers that Mr. John Gohm purchased from us the seeds from which these prize vegetables were grown.

### Peas.

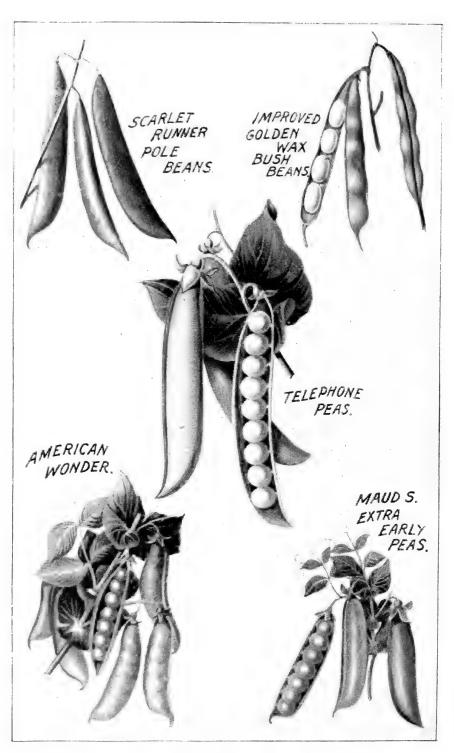
Pois. Chicaros o Guisantes. Grbsen.

CULTURE.—To secure early Peas, plant seed in light, rich soil and a warm sheltered situation as early in spring as possible, in rows two or three feet apart, or for the tall varieties, in double rows six or eight inches apart, between which is placed the trellis or brush for support. One quart will sow 75 feet of drill; two or three bushels for an acre.

Postage, 15 cts. per quart extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid-

#### Extra Early and Early Varieties.

	Per qt.	Per ½pk.	Per pk.	Per· bus.
quality first-rate. We recommend this variety strongly 2½ . \$	-		-	
American Wonder. One of the earliest and most prolific		. , ,		
dwarf wrinkled Peas in cultivation	30	1 00	I 75	6 00
Improved Daniel O'Rourke. A favorite extra early variety . 2½.	25	75	1 25	4 50
<b>Alaska.</b> A smooth blue, extra early variety $\dots \dots 2\frac{1}{2}$ .	30	1 00	1 50	5 00
Philadelphia Extra Early. Favorite market variety in the				
southern states; very early	25	75	1 25	4 50
Tom Thumb. Very dwarf; very early, of excellent quality . 1	30	1 00	1 75	6 00
Laxton's Alpha. One of the earliest wrinkled Peas; fine . 3	30	1 00	I 75	6 00
<b>Premium Gem.</b> Pods long and of a dark green color; an improvement on Little Gem; very early and productive	20	T 00	T 50	5 50
McLean's Little Gem. Dwarf prolific, green, wrinkled 1	30	I 00	1 50	5 50
Kentish Invicta. Round, blue; very early, of superior flavor . 2	25 30	I 00	1 50	5 00 6 00
Advancer. A dwarf green, wrinkled marrow, of fine flavor . 2½.	25		I 75	4 00
Carter's First Crop. Early, productive, and of good flavor . 3		75	I 25	4 00
Abundance. Vine of medium height, and bearing along its	25	75	1 25	4 00
entire length numerous well-filled pods, each containing six				
to eight medium-sized, roundish, wrinkled Peas, which are				
of most superior flavor; one of the very best in quality 1/2 .	25	75	I 25	4 50
Everbearing. Maturing soon after the Gems, and continuing a				_
long time in bearing $\dots \dots \dots$	30	1 00	1 75	6 оо
Modium and Late Variation				
Medium and Late Varieties				
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good	•			
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25	75	1 25	4 50
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Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35	I 25	2 00	7 00
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25	I 25 I 25 75	2 00 2 00 I 25	7 00 7 00 4 00
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35	I 25	2 00	7 00
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Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30	1 25 1 25 75 1 15	2 00 2 00 I 25 2 00 2 00	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30	1 25 1 25 75 1 15 1 15	2 00 2 00 1 25 2 00 2 00 1 75	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00 5 50
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30 30 25	1 25 1 25 1 25 1 15 1 15 1 00 75	2 00 2 00 1 25 2 00 2 00 1 75 1 25	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00 5 50 4 50
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30 30 25 20	1 25 1 25 75 1 15 1 15 1 00 75 50	2 00 2 00 1 25 2 00 2 00 1 75 1 25 85	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00 5 50 4 50 3 00
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30 30 25	1 25 1 25 1 25 1 15 1 15 1 00 75	2 00 2 00 1 25 2 00 2 00 1 75 1 25	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00 5 50 4 50
Horsford's Market-Garden. On the style of Advancer; a good cropper, and very prolific	25 35 35 25 30 30 30 25 20	1 25 1 25 75 1 15 1 15 1 00 75 50	2 00 2 00 1 25 2 00 2 00 1 75 1 25 85	7 00 7 00 4 00 7 00 7 00 5 50 4 50 3 00



The Peas named above should be sown by everyone, being the most reliable and delicious of their class.

#### Edible Podded Peas.

	Height in feet	Per at.	Per ½ pk.	Per pk.	Per bus.
Early Dwarf Wrinkled Sugar. A French variety, of good	od	•		•	
quality		\$0 50	\$1 50	\$2 50	\$9 00
Tall Sugar. Can be used either shelled or cooked in the po-					
which, when young, are very tender and sweet	5	60	I 75	3 00	12 00

#### Pepper.

PIMENT. Pimiento. Pfeffer.

Peppers are extensively used for pickling in various ways. When filled with Cabbage and pickled, they are called "mangos," and form a delightful relish.

CULTURE.—Seed should be sown in hotbeds in February and March, and the plants set out n rows two feet apart and 18 inches apart in the rows, when all danger of frost is past.

#### i Sent postpaid at the prices named. Packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid.

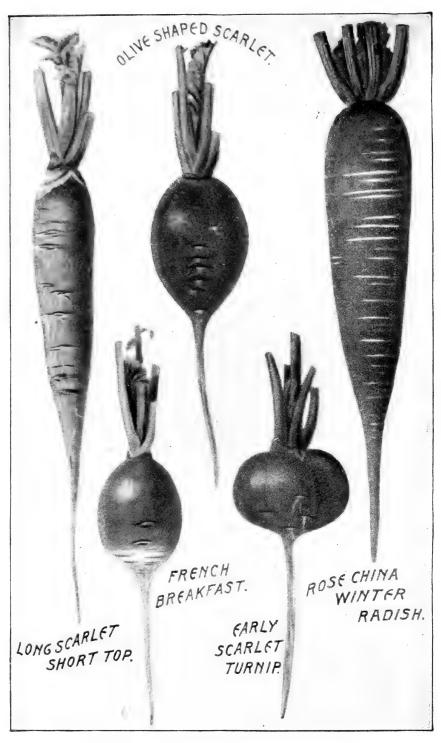
	Per pkt.	Per oz.	¼lb.	Per lb.
Ruby King. Immense fruit, four to six inches long; bright re and so mild in flavor that it may be sliced and eaten with vineg and salt, like Tomatoes; very productive, and the best for ge	ar n-			
eral use	\$0 IO	\$0 40	\$I 25	\$4 00
<b>Procop's Giant.</b> A mammoth Pepper; bright red, of mild flavo	:;			
most suitable for mangos or for use raw	. 10	30	80	3 00
Sweet Mountain or Spanish. Similar to the preceding, but larg				
and milder; used for salad	. 10	30	80	3 00
Long Red Cayenne. Fruit small, very pungent; used for mixed				
pickles, either green or ripe		30	80	3 00
Large Bell or Bull Nose. Large and of mild flavor; a favori	te			
sort	. 10	30	- 8o	3 00
Golden Dawn. Very handsome and distinct; of mild flavor; col-	or			
yellow	. 10	30	80	3 00
Red Chili. Very productive; small, red and very pungent	. 10	30	80	3 00
Red Cluster. A new type of Chili, with upright, bright red fruit	. ®IO	30	80	3 00
Celestial. A Chinese Pepper; very ornamental; fruit yellow	.0			
deep scarlet	. 10	40	I 25	4 00

### Potato.

#### Pomme de Terre. Patata. Kartoffel.

CULTURE.—The best soil is a rich, sandy loam. Plant early in spring, in hills or rows about three feet apart. Keep well cultivated and free from weeds. If an application of land plaster is made after the plants are well up, it will be very beneficial. Ten to fourteen bushels required to plant an acre.

required to plant an acre.			
	Per pk.	Per bu.	Per bbl.
Early Rose. One of the earliest, and still a standard sort, and to	•		
be recommended in place of many of the so-called novelties			
offered by seedsmen. Our stock is grown for us in Maine-			
acknowledged the best state for growing seed potatoes \$0 40	<b>\$</b> 0 60	\$1 50	\$3 50
Beauty of Hebron. An early sort, with pure white flesh and pink-			
ish skin; a favorite with many market-gardeners 40	60	I 50	3 50
Early Puritan. Medium early; white skin and flesh; a good sort 40	60	I 50	3 50
Rural Blush. Medium early; flesh slightly tinged with pink, of			
fine quality; a very productive sort 40	бо	1 50	3 50
White Star. Medium early; flesh white, cooking dry and mealy.			
A heavy yielder and a good main crop sort	бо	1 50	3 50



The most useful Radishes to plant for early and late use.

Potato, continued.			
½pk.	Per pk.	Per bu.	Per bl.
Rural New=Yorker No. 2. Large and smooth variety, of excellent quality; white skin and flesh, with few and shallow eyes \$6 40	\$0 60	\$I 75	\$3 50
Early Mayflower. Ripens at the same time as the Early Rose. Quality equal to the Snowflake; tubers are of medium size and uniform; eyes few; flesh white and solid	60	ı 75	. 3 50
Chas. Downing. Oval, oblong form and pure white color; one of the earliest sorts; of splendid quality; enormously productive 40	60	I 75	3 50
White Elephant. Late; very large, of fine quality, and an exceedingly heavy yielder. One of the best for general crop 40		1 50	3 50
We can also supply the following varieties at same prices as at	ove me	entioned	l kinds:
Early Ohio, Clarke's No. 1. Thorburn, Triumph, Pride of the West, Bil	l Nve.	Empire	State.

Early Ohio, Clarke's No. 1, Thorburn, Triumph, Pride of the West, Bill Nye, Empire State, and St. Patrick.

### Pumpkin.

Potiron. Calabaza. Große Kürbis.

CULTURE.—This is usually planted among Indian Corn. Plant in early spring, in hills about to feet apart each way, and treat the same as Melons.

## Radish.

Radis et Rave. Rabanos and Rabanitos. Radies und Rettig.

CULTURE.—Radishes to be good must be grown quickly. If they are grown on poor land, or if there is any halt in their growth, they are likely to become wormy or pithy. The seed should be sown as early in spring as the ground can be worked, and in succession every two weeks till the first of June, in drills about a foot apart. Winter varieties should be sown in the fall. One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill; 8 to 10 pounds to the acre.

Postage on ½ lb. and over, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail;	pac	ket of a	any vər	iety,
5 cts. postpaid.				
	pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Early Scarlet Turnip. Skin bright scarlet; flesh crisp and of				
mild, delicate flavor; one of the best for the private garden. \$0	05	\$0 10	\$0 20	\$o 6 <b>o</b>
Early Scarlet Forcing. Small, short tops, and even, beautiful				
roots of fine flavor. One of the very best for forcing; matures				
in three weeks or less	5	15	30	1 00
Early Scarlet White-tipped Turnip. A very early sort, of good				
flavor. Good for forcing, or the open ground	5	. IO	20	60
Deep Scarlet Olive-shaped. Flesh rosy-tinted, of good flavor. A				
good summer variety	5	10	25	75
French Breakfast. Root olive-shaped, mild, crisp and tender.				3
Good variety for forcing, being of quick growth	5	. 10	20	60
<b>Prussian Scarlet Globe=shaped.</b> Fine for forcing or open ground	5	10	25	75
Early Turnip Roman Carmine. Handsome and useful, either for				
open ground or forcing	5	10	25	75
Early Turnip. Deep blood-red; extra early forcing sort		. 15	30	I 00

Radish, continued.	151-4	Per oz.	r./ 11s	Don Ib
Early White Turnip. Suitable for forcing; flesh pure white and	pĸt.	rei oz.	% 10.	Per ID.
quite sweet	05	\$o 10	\$0 25	\$0 75
Early Yellow Turnip. Yellow. Popular in New York market	5	10	25	75
Large White Summer. Of large size and roundish form	5	10	25	75
Large Yellow Summer. Dull yellow; fine flesh	5	IO	25	75
Long Scarlet Short-top. Root long, crisp, and of good flavor.  A standard and good variety for either family or market-garden-				
ers' use	5	10	20	60
<b>Chartier.</b> Crimson, shading to white at the tip. A good, tender variety; stands a long time without becoming stringy or pithy.	5	IO	25	75
Long White Naples. Slender; for summer use	5	10	25	75
Long White Vienna or Lady Finger. Crisp and tender in summer	5	10	25	75
White Strasburg Summer. Very large. The German's favorite.	5	IO	25	75
Rose China Winter. Bright rose color; flesh firm and piquant;				
fine for winter use	5	10	25	75
Long Black Spanish. One of the hardiest and best for winter use.	5	10	25	75
Round Black Spanish. Same as preceding, except in shape		10	25	75
California Mammoth White Winter. A white-fleshed Radish of				
excellent quality	5	10	30	I 00

#### Rhubarb.

RHUBARBE. Ruibarbo. Rhabarber.

CULTURE.—Best raised from the roots, as this furnishes a supply for the table the second season. They should be planted about four feet apart each way in a good, rich soil. If raised from seed, it should be sown in a hot-bed and the plants set out when the weather permits.

### Salsify or Vegetable Oyster.

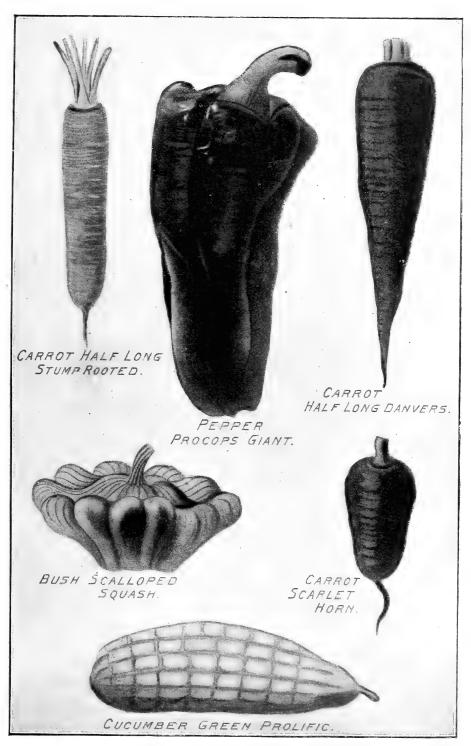
Salsifis. Ostion Vegetal. Baferwurzel.

CULTURE.—Sow in drills about a foot apart and thin to four inches apart, in the row. Cultivate same as Carrots. The roots may be left in the ground over winter, and will be improved by the exposure.

#### Sorrel.

Oseille. Acedera. Sauerampfer.

Culture.—Sow in drills 18 inches apart and keep the flower stalks cut down. A perennial, and lives year after year.



The above Varieties can be Depended upon to give Satisfactory Results.



### Spinach.

Epinards. Espinaca. Spinat.

CULTURE.—Sow in drills a foot apart, in rich soil. The main crop is sown in September, but for summer use successive sowing may be made from April first onward. The portion left out over winter should be covered with straw in the northern states. One ounce will sow 100 feet of drill; 10 to 12 pounds to the acre.

Postage on ½1b. or over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail.

Large Round Thick=Leaved Viroflay. Large, round, thick	rer oz.	½ 1D.	rei io.
leaves. One of the newer sorts	\$0 10	\$0 15	\$0 40
Curled Savov or Bloomsdale. Leaves large, much wrinkled,			
tender and succulent	. 10	15	40
Prickly. A good hardy sort	10	15	40
Long=Standing. Dark green; the longest standing before run-			
ning to seed	10	15	40
Round=leaved. A standard sort	10	15	40
New Zealand. A very desirable and distinct variety; grows well			
during hot weather. Should be transplanted 3 feet apart each			
way	15	40	1 2 <sub>5</sub>

### Squash.

Courge. Calabaza. Speife Kürbis.

CULTURE.—Same as for Melons. The bush sorts may be planted three feet apart, while the trailing sorts will need to be set 8 to 10 feet apart. One ounce will plant 50 hills.

Postage on ½1b. or over, 8 cts. per 1b. extra, if sent by mail; packet of any variety, 5 cts. postpaid.

Per	pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Early White=scolloped Bush. One of the earliest, Flesh				
good; rind hard, adapting it for shipping	05	\$0 IO	\$0 25	\$º 75
Early Golden-scolloped Bush. Not quite as early as the preced-				
ing, but resembling it, except in color	5	10	25	75
Early Summer Crookneck. Orange yellow, skin warty. Of fine				
flavor, and usually considered the best summer squash	5	10	25	75
Boston Marrow. For early autumn or late summer. Shape,				
oval; color, bright orange; flesh dry, and of good flavor	5	. 10	. 25	7.5
Hubbard. The best winter sort, keeping in good condition until				
April. Skin dark green, flesh dry and of fine flavor	5	10	25	75
Pike's Peak or Sibley. A distinct and good winter sort, with	,			75
hard skin and thick, bright orange flesh of delicate flavor; new,				
but of assured value	. 5	10	25	75
Mammoth Chili. A good winter sort, growing to an enormous size,	,		-3	75
often 200 pounds	-	20	50	I 75
	5	20	20	1 /3
Early Orange Marrow. An improved Boston Marrow. Quite dis-				
tinct, very early and of most delicate flavor. Suitable either	_	7.0	0.5	
for fall or winter	5	10	25	75
Bay State. Extremely solid, of heavy weight; fine and dry flesh,				
of sweet flavor, of a beautiful bright golden yellow; very hand-				
some; shell extremely hard and flinty; an excellent keeper	5	10	25	75
<b>Perfect Gem.</b> Round white, fine quality, productive; good for fall				
or winter	5	10	25	75
Golden Custard Bush. Much larger than the Scolloped varieties,				
color dark rich golden yellow; quality excellent	10	20	бо	1 50
English Vegetable Marrow. Oblong, yellow fruit; tender and				
finely-flvored flesh	5	10	25	75
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## Tomato.

TOMATO. Tomates. Liebesapfel.

Of all vegetables, the Tomato has seen the most improvement during the past 20 years. The points to be desired are good size, symmetry, solid, well-flavored flesh, and freedom from seeds. The varieties below closely approximate perfection.

CULTURE.—Sow in a hotbed or window-box in early spring, and transplant, when all danger of frost is past, to three feet apart each way. Water freely when transplanting, and shade with a shingle for a few days. One ounce will produce about 1,500 plants.

Sent postpaid by mail at these prices; packet of any variety, 10 cts. postpaid.

Dwarf Champion. Distinct in its habit, requiring no support.	pkt.	Per oz.	¼ lb.	Per lb.
Very early and prolific. Fruit medium size, bright scarlet,				
solid, and with few seeds	10	\$0 25	\$o 8o	\$3 00
Perfection. Very early and productive. Fruit of good size, per-				
fectly smooth and very meaty. Color blood red	5	25	75	2 50
<b>Beauty.</b> Medium early. Medium size, smooth and solid; of a pinkish color; a good shipper	5	25	75	2 50
Livingston's Stone. One of the best introduced for years. It is				
very large, perfectly smooth, and of a fine bright scarlet color	10	40	I 00	4 00
Long-Keeper. Bright red. Early, very productive, and the longest				
keeper of all Tomatoes	10	40	I 00	4 00
Lorillard. The best forcing variety. Very early and prolific; fruit			0	
smooth, bright glossy red, of fine flavor	10	25	80	3 00
<b>Favorite.</b> Fruit large, smooth and solid, ripening evenly throughout the coston	_	2.5	~-	0.50
out the season	5	25	75	2 50
<b>Table Queen.</b> One of the largest smooth Tomatoes. Of good substance and color, and of fine flavor	IÓ	50	1 25	4 00
Early Ruby. One of the earliest. Fruit of good size and sub-				
stance; plant of very spreading habit	10	50	1 25	4 00
Trophy, Selected. The standard late sort, and an old favorite for				
main crop. Fruit very solid and fine, produced abundantly		30	85	3 00
Mikado. Fruit very large, but somewhat irregular	10	25	80	3 00
Large Yellow. Large, and of good flavor	5	25	75	2 50
Red Pear-shaped. Fruit solid, small pear-shaped, Very pretty.	5	25	75	2 50
Yellow Plum. Round and regular, bright yellow; used for pickles.	5	25	75	2 50
We can also supply the following varieties:				
Ignotum, Red Currant, Strawberry or Winter Cherry, Volunteer,				
Prelude, Peach, Green Gage, etc	10	30	1 00	3 00

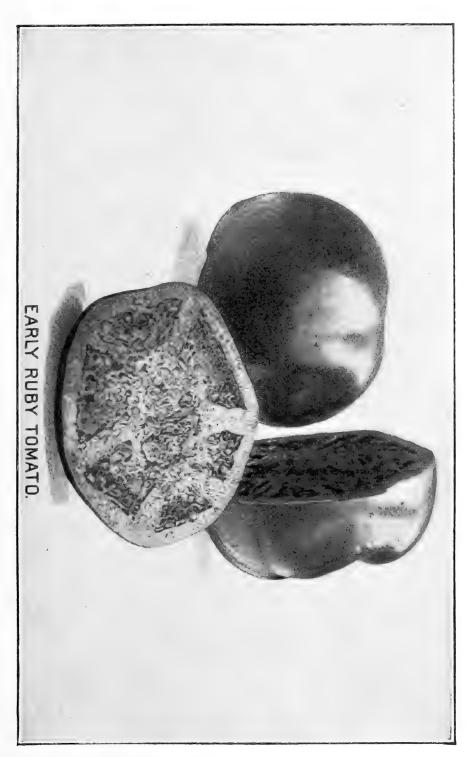
### Turnip.

NAVET. Nabo. Rüben.

CULTURE.—For summer use seed may be sown in April, but the main crop will be sown in July or August, either broadcast or in drills 18 inches apart each way. Thin to six inches apart in the row. One pound will sow an acre.

Postage on ½1b. and more, 8 cts. per lb. extra, if sent by mail.

		Per oz.		
Early Snowball. Small and of rapid growth; pure white	50 05	\$0 10	\$0 15	\$0 50
Early Flat Dutch. Good white early sort	. 5	IO	15	50
Extra Early Milan. The earliest of all Turnips; white, with pur	:-			
ple top	. 5	15	30	75
White Egg. Oval in shape; flesh pure white, mild and sweet	t.			
One of the best	- 5	10	15	50
Red=top Strap=leaf. The variety most extensively grown for				
early use. Flesh white; skin of top portion of root purple	. 5	IO,	15	40



Earliest and Best for all Purposes.

Turnip, continued.	. Per oz.	1:1b	Per lb.
Purple-Top Globe-Shaped. Nearly globular, solid, and of good flavor. Very prolific. A standard sort			
Golden Ball. Flesh yellow, very sweet and delicate. The best	20 10	50 15	\$0 5 <b>0</b>
of the Yellow Turnips	10	15	50
Very productive, and a good keeper	10	15	50
Cow Horn. Roots carrot shaped; early and good	10	15	50
Yellow Globe. Flesh firm and sweet; fine for table and stock	IO	15	50
Yellow Stone. Fine hardy winter sort. Excellent for table use .	10	25	75
Ruta=Baga or Swede Turnip.			
Extensively grown for feeding stock, but also good for the table.	Keep s	ound an	d good
till spring. Under careful culture they are enormously productive.	_		
Per pkt.  Improved American Purple=Top. Hardy and prolific. Flesh		⅓ lb.	Per lb.
yellow, solid, and good. The best of the Ruta-Bagas \$0 09	\$0 10	50 15	\$0 5O
Large White French. Flesh white, sweet and good	10	15	50
Skirving's Improved Purple-Top. Excellent; good keeper	10	15	50
Laing's Improved Purple=Top. Good variety for table use 5	10	15	50
Pot, Sweet and Medicina		lerb	95.
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A bed of these is always useful in the kitchen garden.	Per pkt.	Per øz.	Per lb.
Anise (Pimpinella anisum)	. \$0 05	\$0 15	\$1 00
Balm (Melissa officinalis)	5	40	4 00
Basil, Sweet (Ocymum basilicum)	5	15	I 50
Bene (Sesamum orientale)	5	20	2 00
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## Vegetable Roots and Plants.

We can supply these packed to ship anywhere safely, in the proper season. Our plants are carefully grown, strong and stocky, and not forced with heat, so as to be weak when received. Send orders early, naming time plants are desired shipped.

Asparagus, Conover's Colossal. Two-year-old roots of this reliable kind \$1 00	Per 1,000 \$7 00
Asparagus, Palmetto. A variety of southern origin, bright green 1 50	10 00
Chive Plants. For flavoring soups, salads, etc	Per doz. \$2 50
Chufas, or Earth Almonds	
Horse-Radish, Roots Per 100 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$ 10 \$ 10	Per 1,000 \$8 00
Jerusalem Artichokes. Cooked like Potatoes	Per bu. \$4 00
Rhubard Roots. (Victoria.) Best sort for general use	Per doz. \$2 50
Sea Kale Roots. (Imported.) Three years old, for forcing	1 25
Tarragon Plants. (Estragon.) For flavoring	3 00
Cabbage Plants. Early Summer and Jersey Wakefield, ready from March	Per 1,000
ı to May ı. Coldframe plants	\$9 00
Cauliflower, Snowball. (Best variety.) From frames 2 00	15 00
"Spring Sown Plants. From open ground 1 00	9 00
Celery Plants. White Plume, Garden Dwarf, Golden Self-blanching, Giant Pascal, London Red, Covent Garden, Pink, etc.; fine plants, ready in July	
and August	5 00
Egg=Plants, New *York Improved. (Pot plants.) Ready May 15 \$1 00	Per 100 \$6 00
Lettuce Plants. All the best varieties	Per 1,000 \$7 50
Perper Plants. Ready May 15. Bull Nose, Golden Dawn, Long Cayenne,	Per 100
Chili, and other varieties. Pot-grown plants	<b>\$</b> 6 oo
Tomato Plants. Including Perfection (Beef-steak), Mikado, Acme, Beauty, and all the best kinds of red and yellow varieties. Ready for shipment	Per 1,000
May 15	\$20 00
Sweet Potato Plants. Nansemond; best variety for general cultivation;	Per 1,000
plants ready in June	\$5 00
We can also furnish plants of the following well known and regularly used by pot and medicinal purposes: Mint, Thyme, Marjoram, Lavender, Sage, Borage, Rosavory, at 15 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz.	

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I am more than pleased with the quality of goods sent by you this fall, and will say so to my flower-loving friends.

George D. Mastin.



Montview Lawn, Short Hills, N. I. Showing the perfection of our Lawn Grass-Seed Mixture.

#### Lawns and Permanent Pastures.

HOW TO MAKE NEW OR IMPROVE OLD GARDEN LAWNS, LAWN-TENNIS AND CROQUET GROUNDS

AND BOWLING-GREENS.

#### Lawn Grass Seed.

When either making a new lawn or renovating an old one by sowing seed, the most important features to be first considered are the texture of the soil, and the location and surrounding influences. These should be studied before buying or sowing the seed, as grass varies, and its adaptability to different circumstances is as diverse as any other class of vegetation. This to a certain extent, we believe, explains the secret of so many failures in obtaining successful results from seed in making lawns, and convinces us of the uselessness of offering any one mixture as being suitable for all localities. To obviate this, we have concluded to offer three grades or mixtures, which cover the varied requirements.

It is necessary to sow the seed very thick to get the most pleasing result, sowing not less than four bushels to the acre, or one quart to a piece of ground 20 by 25 feet. In early spring or fall the ground must be well dug, raked and leveled, and after the seed is sown, which should be done on a calm, dry day, rake the seed in and roll well, or in the absence of a roller pat the ground down well with the back of a spade or shovel.

The seed we offer will be found to be very clean and free from weed seeds. It weighs about 20 lbs. to the bushel. Add 10 cents per quart for postage, if to be sent by mail.

- No. 1. Suitable for exposed, dry, sandy soil, and most suitable for the southern states. Per qt., 20 cts.; per pk., \$1.25; per bus., \$4.50.
- No. 2. Suitable for medium shady or average soil. Per qt., 20 cts.; per pk., \$1.25; per bus., \$4.50.
- No. 3. Suitable for wet and shady or clayey soil. Per qt., 20 cts.; per pk., \$1,25; per bus., \$4.50.

When ordering, customers would do well to explain the situation in which they intend to sow, and describe any peculiar influences bearing upon it, that we may, if necessary, make up a special mixture suitable for their requirements.

#### Seed for Pasture and Hay.

Permanent or Temporary.

The growing demand for this kind of crop proves that the sowing of mixed pasture seed is no longer an experiment, and those who have given it a fair trial cannot speak too highly in its favor. Autumn and spring are equally desirable seasons for sowing grass seed for pasture, either permanent or temporary, and persons contemplating laying down ground to hay for pasture should write us for particulars concerning the advisability of sowing our mixture in preference to Timothy, the article most frequently used by farmers in this section. Our pasture-grass mixtures are superior to Timothy in many respects, producing a much larger crop of more nutritious grass; besides, they are permanent and not liable to be winter-killed.

#### Permanent and Temporary Pasture-Grass Mixture.

Our mixture for the above purpose, recommended in ordinary cases for medium soil, to produce grass and clover, is made up as follows, and should be sown fifty pounds to the acre. Per bushel, \$2.25, or three bushels, sufficient to plant one acre, \$6.50:

Lbs	Lbs*
Orchard=grass (Dactylis glomerata)14	Wood Meadow=grass (Poa nemoralis). 2
Foxtail=grass (Alopecurus pratensis) 3	Rough=stalked Meadow=grass (Poa tri-
Hard Fescue (Festuca Duriuscula) 2	vialis) I
Sheep's Fescue (Festuca ovina) 2	Perennial Red Clover (Trifolium pra-
	tense perenne) 5
Meadow Fescue (Festuca pratense) 2	Perennial White Clover (Trifolium
Sweet Vernal (Anthoxanthum odoratum) 1	repens) 3
Italian Rye-grass (Lolium Italicum) 7	Alsike Clover (Trifolium hybridum) I
English Perennial Rye-grass (Lolium	Yellow Clover (Trefoil; Medicago lupu-
perenne) 6	lina) 1

We also supply assortments for any purpose.

### Natural Grass Seeds.

AGROSTIS canina (Rhode Island Bent Grass). A very fine variety for lawns \$	Lb.
stolonifera (Fiorin or Marsh Grass). Affords very early and very late herbage	
vulgaris (Red-top Grass). Very good for lawns. Bushel of 14 lb., \$1.00	
" Recleaned, absolutely free from chaff	
ALOPECURUS pratensis (Meadow Fox-Tail Grass). Early feed; not suitable for hay . ANTHOXANTHUM odoratum (Sweet Vernal Grass). Early; excellent quality; for	r
sheep and cattle feed	50
CYNOSURUS cristatus (Crested Dog's-tail Grass). Useful for sheep pastures	30
DACTYLIS glomerata (Orchard or Cock's foot Grass). Great in produce and of quick re	:-
productiveness; withstands drought	
FESTUCA duriuscula (Hard Fescue Grass). Withstands drought; all kinds of stock ea	
it, and thrive well upon it; verdant in winter	20
elatior (Tall Meadow Fescue Grass). Most productive; stock eat it readily	25
heterophylla (Various-leaved Fescue Grass), Valuable for heavy early crop	25
ovina (Sheep's Fescue Grass). Very nutritious; sheep are exceedingly fond of it	20
pratensis (Meadow Fescue Grass). Most productive and nutritious; all stock eat i	t
greedily, either green or as hay	
rubra (Red Fescue Grass). Valuable for withstanding drought	
tenuifolia (Fine-leaved Fescue Grass.) Valuable for lawns and parks on account o its constant verdure	
LOLIUM Italicum (Italian Rye Grass). Valuable for early feed, rapid growth and repro	_
ductiveness	
perenne (Perennial Rye Grass). Reproductive and very heavy	
PHLEUM pratense (Timothy or Cat's Tail). Valuable for feed; may be fed a consider	
able time and then left for hay	
POA aquatica (Water Sweet Grass). Good for feed and hay; very reproductive and o	
great bulk	
nemoralis (Wood Meadow Grass). Excellent for wooded and shady places, and for	
its constant verdure in any situation	
pratensis (Kentucky Blue Grass). Early and productive; abundant and excellen	
feed or hay; not subject to drought. Bushel of 14 lb., \$1.75	
pretensis (Kentucky Blue Grass). Fancy or double-extra clean seed. Bushel o	
- , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
trivialis (Rough-stalked Meadow Grass). Valuable and nutritious; all cattle readily	
eat it. Produces feed very early in the spring, and remains verdant nearly all the	
winter	30
Clovers.	
TDIFOLULW mustanes (C. D. 101	Lb.
TRIFOLIUM pratense (Common Red Clover)	15
hybridum (Alsike). Valuable perennial Clover	
incarnatum (Crimson). Valuable for its early seed and early nutritious hay	
repens (White). Valuable for permanent pastures	
MEDICAGO lupulina (Trefoil or Yellow). For early feed and alternate courses with	
clover	
ONOBRYCHIS sativa (Sainfoin or Esparcet). Excellent for growing a fine quality of	
most nutritious food where nothing else will thrive. Will stand many years	
We are always glad to supply prices for quantities of the above named and others	at
lowest market value, on application.	
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# Miscellaneous Farm Seeds. Cereals.

	В	us.
OATS, Clydesdale Imported. White variety, weighing 50 pounds to measured bushel	:	
very prolific and early	\$2	50
Canada. White; very excellent variety; best domestic kind	1	00
Probsterier. Very excellent and prolific		00
RYE, Excelsior (Winter). Very prolific; from New England; said to yield 45 bus. to		
Winter. Northern-grown: clean seed	2	00
Spring. Clean seed		
WHEAT, Saskatchewan (Spring). The earliest and best hard amber variety known;		00
noted both for yield and vigor	2	0.5
Fultz (Winter). A good market variety	2	25
Golden Cross (Winter). A first-class variety of recent introduction	2	25
Hybrid Mediterranean (Winter). A very heavy grain		
BUCKWHEAT, New Japanese. Best variety; noted for size of grains and produc-		
tiveness		75
Common	1	30
BARLEY, Vermont Champion. Two-rowed	2	00
<b>Hull-less.</b> This variety is noted for size of grains and general productiveness	2	00
Two=rowed Duck=bill. Very early and productive	3	00
<b>SORGHUMS.</b> Of recent introduction; most useful. Many of the kinds, when cut for		
feeding, start again with renewed vigor. Thrive well in dry, hot districts, and		
most suitable forage-plants for the southern states. The same cultivation that is		
required for corn suits these plants.  Broom-corn, Evergreen. Excellent; of fine habit, becoming popular with		
growers, as it is free from the large center stem, and is of fine color		
Dhoura, Rural Branching. A non-saccharine Sorghum of late introduction, es-		
pecially suitable for tropical climates by mail, per lb., 50 cts		
<b>Dhoura, Yellow.</b> Earlier than the Rural Branching . by mail, per lb., 50 cts		
Halapense (Johnson Grass). A very valuable southern fodder-plant. It is a rapid	-	
growing perennial, and does well in New Jersey	4	00
lent fodder by mail, per lb., 50 cts . Sugar-cane, Early Amber by mail, per qt., 30 cts	4	00
" Early Orange by mail, per qt., 30 cts	4	00
MILLET, Hungarian Grass	2	50
German or Golden. Market price	2	50
<b>Pearl</b> (Pennisetum spicatum). Enormously productive; especially suitable for		
the south; a good fodder-plant by mail, per lb., 35 cts		
COTTON, Sea Island by mail, per lb., 35 cts		
<b>OSAGE ORANGE</b> (Maclura aurantiaca). Very useful for forming hedges, on account		
of the large spines by mail, per lb., 45 cts		
SPRING VETCHES	4	00
FLAX-SEED	4	00
CANADA FIELD=PEAS, White. Excellent cattle-feed, especially north	2	00
SUNFLOWER, Large Russian	2	50

#### Field Corn—Best Varieties.

Hickory King. Large, white, deep grain.

Early Mastodon. Said to give the largest yield of all varieties of yellow dent.

Golden Beauty. Very large grain; yellow dent.

Queen of the Prairie. Very early, yellow dent; large yielder, and ripens in 90 days.

Yellow Flint. Well-known variety.

Chester County Mammoth. Very large; late, yellow dent.

Mammoth White Surprise. Very large, dented; deep grain.

Above varieties are considered superior to all others for northern and eastern states.

Price 15 cts. per qt., \$2 per bush., two bush., \$3.75.



A View in one of our Palm-Houses.

# FLOWER SEEDS.

#### GENERAL DIRECTIONS FOR CULTURE.

Flowers generally succeed best in a sandy loam, made rich with well-rotted manure, which should be made fine and thoroughly mixed with the soil. A soil thus prepared will remain moist and loose, so that Flower Seeds, which are generally small and delicate, will be able to germinate and grow with vigor.

The general rule for sowing Flower Seeds, as well as any other seeds, is to sow them at the proper depth; and the depth at which they are sown should in every instance, be governed by he size of the seed itself. As the sprouts of small seeds are naturally small, if sown as deep as large seeds, they will be either unusually long in starting, or, more likely, perish in the ground after sprouting, for want of sufficient strength to force a passage through the soil. Very small seeds, such as Portulaca, Petunia, etc., should merely be sprinkled on the surface of the ground, after making quite smooth with a piece of board or back of a spade, and barely covered with finely sifted, light mellow soil, and afterwards protected from the sun or heavy rains by a light covering. After the seeds are up, care must be taken to give them plenty of air and moisture, and yet not too much water, or they will "damp off."

Plants are usually ready to be transplanted when they have made a growth of about two inches. It is a very common mistake to let them stand so close together as to crowd each other, and thus lose much of their beauty. Give each plant plenty of room according to its habit of growth. The weeds should be kept down and the ground loosened often, so that the plants will receive the full benefit of the rains and dews, which they will not if the ground is allowed to become hard and baked.

**Hardy Annual.**—Seeds of the majority of hardy annuals may be sown in the open ground in April and May, and a second sowing may be made later for succession.

Half-hardy Annuals.—These may be sown in shallow boxes, pots, or a hotbed in March and April, and after that time in the open ground.

Biennials and Perennials should be sown in August and September in boxes and kept over winter in frames, transplanting to the border in early spring. Several of them, however, flower the first season, and can be sown inside in the early spring, and transplanted to where they are to flower.

Greenhouse Seeds.—Most varieties may be sown at any season of the year, using the general rule for sowing seeds and watering with a very fine rose only. Primula, Calceolaria, Cineraria, etc., should be sown from April to June. Success is more certain if a pane of glass is placed over the pot or box till the plants have appeared, when it should be removed.

Andover, Mass., May 2, 1892.

The plants arrived all safe. The Chrysanthemums were certainly in the best condition of any I have received, and I write to thank you for the nine extras, which, I see, were all novelties and prize winners.

W. L. PALMER.

Woodlawn Ave., Chicago, May 11, 1892.

I feel impelled to state that the Chrysanthemums you sent me this spring were a fine lot of young plants, and are doing splendidly. I am glad to know such a firm doing business—one that knows enough to know that the way in which to get business and please custoners is to send out only good stuff.

E. A. KIMBALL.

## General List of Flower Seeds.

#### Alphabetically Arranged.

The following list contains a selection of the best and most popular annual, biennial, perennial and everlasting flowers. Larger packets than those priced in this Catalogue may be had, if required, and any kinds not enumerated can be supplied at advertised price.

All Flower Seeds are sent free by mail at Catalogue prices.

Explanation of the following abbreviations:

- HA. Hardy Annual. Lasting and flowering same season only.
- HHA. Half Hardy Annual. Same as above, but requiring to be sown under protection.
  - B. Biennial. Lasting two years, and generally blooming the second.
  - P. Perennial. Lasting three or more years.
  - HP. Hardy Perennial.
    - E. Everlasting. The flowers when cut last for years.
  - GP. Greenhouse Plant. To be treated accordingly.

Abronia umbellata. HHA. Pretty Verbena-like trailing annuals rosy lilac
" album. White. " ers are useful for winter decoration. 5 · 5
Agapanthus umbellatus. HHP. 2 feet. African Lily. A tuberous-rooted plant with blue flowers
Ageratum Mexicanum, Blue. HHA. 1½ feet.
White. "Suitable and effective plants)
" Imperial Dwarf, Blue. " ¾ foot. for bedding and cut-flowers. 5
White. " "
Agrostemma coronaria, Mixed (Rose Campion). HP. 1 foot. Showy and free bloomer . 5
Alyssum maritimum (Sweet Alyssum). HA. ¾ foot. White; popular annual 5
" compactum. HA 1/2 foot. Fine for beds and edgings 5
" saxatile compactum. HP. ½ foot. Yellow; suitable for rockeries 5
Amaranthus melancholicus ruber. HHA. 2 to 3 feet. Crimson foliage, suitable for sub-
tropical gardening
"tricolor (Joseph's Coat). HA. 2 feet. Beautiful variegated and orna-
mental foliage
Anemone coronaria. HP. 1 foot. Beautiful spring flowers requiring deep, rich soil 10
Antirrhinum majus (Snapdragon). HP. 2 feet. Mixed colors 5
"Tom Thumb, Mixed HP. I foot. These, although perennials, if sown
early will flower the first season 5  Aquilegia caryophylloides (Columbine). HP. 2 feet. Striped
" chrysantha. Yellow
" vulgaris alba. Double white
" cœrulea. Blue
" Canadensis. Red and white
66 Double Mixed
" Double Mixed.   Suitable for borders
Aralia Sieboldii. GP. Beautiful ornamental foliage
Aristolochia sipho (Ducthman's Pipe). HP. A popular and curious climber 25
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Balsam, Double Camellia-Flowered. (See page 59.)



ASTER, QUEEN OF THE MARKET. (Very Early.,

Flower Seeds, continued.	
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Ampelopsis Veitchii (Boston Ivy). HP. Well-known creeper for house and church walls	0
"Royallii. Very fine variety	0
Asters. HHA. These noble flowers are universal favorites, and should be in every garden.	
" Dwarf Chrysanthemum=flowered. 1 foot. Separate colors: White, Fiery Scar-	
let, Rose, Light and Dark Blue: each 1	0.
" Truffaut's Pæony=flowered Perfection. 1½ feet. Separate colors: Snow-	
White, Deep Crimsom, Light and Dark Blue: each ı	0
" Mixed colors	0
"Victoria. 11/2 feet, Separate colors: White, Crimson, Peach-blossom, Crimson	
and White, Light Blue, Dark Blue	0
	0
" Comet. I foot. In separate colors: White, Rose, Rose and White, Light Blue,	
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	5
"Triumph. I foot. Dark Scarlet	:5
" Scarlet and White	5
" Quilled Globe (Betteridge's). 1½ feet. With tube or quill-shaped petals. Mixed	٥.
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9 /-	
Mixed colors, line for cutting	0
Showball. 1/2 leet. A grand white Aster for cutting	5
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	5
" Harlequin. 1½ feet. Striped petals. Mixed colors	0
<b>Asters in Collections.</b> —These are put up in separate colors in Europe, and are sent out by u in the original packets.	ıs
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" " 12 1 00 " " " " 12	5
Victoria 6 50 Miniature 6 4	0
Washington 6 5	0
Aubrietia deltoides. HP. 6 inches. Purple. Beautiful for rockwork	0
Auricula. HP. 9 inches. Mixed colors. Saved from a splendid strain	5
Balloon=vine (Cardiospermum halicacabum). HA. 10 feet. Pretty fruit	5
Balsam (Lady's Slipper). HHA. 1½ feet. In separate colors: White, Crimson, Lavender, Rose, Scarlet, Spotted, Purple, Lemon, Peach-blossom: each	0
" Finest Double Mixed	0
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Confection of a separate colors	0
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SANTA BARBARA, CAI., March 10, 1892.

The Chrysanthemums, etc., arrived in due time, and were as fresh as the day they left. Your packing is perfect.

ALEX'R MESTON, Gardener to Wm. P. Gould.

Flower Seeds, continued.	
Begonia, Tuberous-rooted. GP. The seed of these beautiful flowers has been saved	pkt
from our own unrivalled collection.	
" Single. In separate colors: Scarlet, White, Yellow, Bronze, Pink and Rose: each \$0	50
" Striped (vittata),	75
" All colors mixed	
Double. In separate colors. Scarlet, Winte, Tenow, Bronze, Fink and Rose; each	
Timest mixed, an colors	50
" Rex. Have beautiful ornamental foliage	50
Brachycome iberidifolia (Swan River Daisy). HHA. I foot. Blue, White, Mixed: each	_
Browallia elata. HHA. 1½ feet. Blue. White. Like Lobelia; fine for cutting	
Bryonopsis laciniosa erythrocarpa. HHA. 5 feet. Beautiful ornamental gourd	
Calceolaria. GP. Choicest mixed; superior strain	
" hybrida grandiflora. Very large flowers and bright colors ,	
Calampelis scabra. HP. 6 feet. Beautiful climber, with orange flowers	10
Calendula officinalis fl. pl. HA. 1 foot. Double Pot Marigold	5
" Meteor. Yellow, striped orange	5
" Prince of Orange. Darker than Meteor	5
" Pongei fl. pl. Double white	
Calliancia Drummandii HA a fact William and fact	
Calliopsis Drummondii. HA. r foot. Yellow, very fine	5
tinctoria. HA. I foot. Yellow and brown	5
	5
Campanula carnatica HP 1/2 foot Blue	,
White. Pretty dwarf herbaceous plants	5
" Medium calycanthema. HP. 2 feet. The Cup and Saucer or Canterbury Bells; mixed	TO
" nyramidalis. HP 4 feet Blue )	
" alba. " White. Grand for borders	10
Candytuft. HA. I foot. These popular flowers should be in every garden. In separate	
colors: White Crimson, Purple, Lilac and Flesh: each	5
"White Rocket. Large flowers for cutting	5
" Empress. The best white for cutting	
"Tom Thumb. White; fine for edgings	
	5
Canna. HHP. These are very much used now for bedding, and for show and grandness	
of color cannot be surpassed. The Dwarf French or Crozy's strain are by	
far the finest, and are very useful for growing in pots inside  (Indian Shot.) Tall, mixed colors	_
" Crozy's Dwarf French. Our own saving	5
Canary=bird Flower. See Tropæolum.	10
Canterbury Bells. HP. 2 feet. Single. In separate colors: Blue, Rose or White: each	5
" " Mixed colors	5
Double. In separate colors: Blue, Rose or White: each	10
	10
Carnation. HHP. 2 ft. Our seed has been saved from the best growers in Germany and	
Italy. The Margaret section are fine for cutting, and as they flower in	
three months from day of sowing, and yield a very large crop of fine flowers, their advantages are clearly perceptible. The colors are very	
brilliant.	
	10
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COSMOS HYBRIDUS, "THE PEARL." (See page 64.)

Flower Seeds, continued.	Per p	1-4
Carnation, Tree or Perpetual. For greenhouse or conservatory		
Grenadine. Single, red. \ Very fine for florists. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \		10
" Double, " ) (		25
" Margaret Dwarf. Extra fine mixed colors. Flowering in 4 months		25
" Half-Dwarf. ) from day of sowing		25
" In Collections of 6 separate colors		50 00
25 "	. 1	75
Celosia pyramidalis coccinea. HHA. 3 feet. Scarlet. Yellow. Crimson-feathered Cockscom	os .	10
Centaurea candidissima. HHP. 2 feet.	C	25
" Clementei. " Silver-leaved plants for ribbon-borders, etc.	) [	10
" gymnocarpa.	(	10
Americana. HA 3 feet. Purple; for borders		5
" Cyanus. HA. 11/2 feet. Blue )	( .	5
Mixed colors Corn-flower or Blue-bottle.	<b>)</b> .	5
Double; mixed colors	l .	10
Cerastium tomentosum (Snow in Summer). White foliage for borders		2.5
Chrysanthemum, Annual varieties. These very showy annuals are very lasting and		
be found useful for cut-flowers.  coronarium. HA. 1½ feet. Double yellow		5
" album. Double White		5
" Double Mixed, all colors		5
Eclipse; yellow, red and brown		5
" Mixed, all colors		5
frustescens. HA I foot. The Paris Daisy		10
inodorum. "Double white, for cutting		10
" Perennial varieties. These are from own Prizetaking strain of se		
which everybody knowscannot be equa nor approached. Choicest Mixed		25
Cineraria hybrida. GP. Superb mixed, choice strain		25
" grandiflora. Prize strain. Extra large flowers		50
" Nana. Half dwarf; very choice		25
" Double. Choicest strain, fine for cutting		75
" maritima (Dusty Miller). HHP. For edgings, vases, etc		10
Clarkia. HA. 1½ feet. Single mixed, in great variety		5
"HA. 1½ feet. Double mixed, various colors		5
Clematis. HP. 15 feet. Beautiful hardy climbers		1.)
Cleome pungens (Giant Spider Plant). HHA. I to 3 feet. Rose color Clianthus Dampierii (Australian Glory Pea). GP. 3 feet		10
Chantinus Dampiern (Australian Glory Fea). Gr. 3 leet		10
Cohora scandens HHP an fact Rive )		<sup>1</sup> 5
Cobæa scandens. HHP. 20 feet. Blue. Well-known climbers	• •	2 <sub>0</sub>
" alba. " White. Well-known climbers		10
Well-known climbers		25
Cockscomb. HHA. ¾ foot. Glasgow Prize, dwarf. Crimson		)
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"  alba. " White. Well-known climbers    Cockscomb. HHA. ¾ foot. Glasgow Prize, dwarf. Crimson    " Mixed shades of color    Coleus. GP. Fine hybrids. The well-known foliage bedders    " The well-known foliage		5
"  alba. " White. Well-known climbers HHA. 34 foot. Glasgow Prize, dwarf. Crimson Mixed shades of color		5 5 5
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Flower Seeds, continued.	D1
Cucumis erinaceous (Hedge-Hog Gourd). HHA. 8 feet	
" acutangulus (Rag or Dish Gourd). HHA. 8 feet. Loofa	
" flexuosa (Snake Cucumber). HHA. 10 feet	. !
Cuphea platycentra (The Cigar Plant). HHP. I foot	. 10
Cyclamen persicum giganteum. GP. The seeds of this grand strain have been	n
specially saved for us from the finest flowers that were ever exhibited, and	1
cannot fail to give satisfaction. Varieties: album, white; atrorubrum	,
dark red; roseum, rose; superbum, white and rose; robustum	
white and dark red: each	
"Finest mixture of colors	. 2
Cypress=vine. HA, 10 feet. Red, White and Mixed. Pretty trailing vines: each	
Cyperus alternifolius (The Umbrella Plant). GP. 2 feet. Fine for vases,	. 25
Dahlia. HHP. 6 feet. Double, saved from splendid varieties	. I
Single, saved from our own choice collection	
" Single striped. Very effective	. 10
" Cactus. New varieties mixed	. 25
Daisy, Double. HP. 1/4 foot. White, for borders, etc	. 10
Rose. (Longfellow)	
" Snowball. White, very large	
" Mixed colors; large flowers	
Delphinium Cashmerianum. HP. 2 feet. Pale blue	
formosum (Perennial Larkspur). Blue and white	
" nudicaule. 2 feet. Scarlet; very handsome	
"hybridum. 1½ feet. Saved from our splendid collection	
" cardinale. 1½ feet. Bright scarlet	
Dianthus. HB. I foot. These hardy Pinks are unexcelled for beds and borders, the	•
colors being very showy.	
" Chinensis (China Pink). Double mixed	
"Heddewigii fl. pl. (Japan Pink). Mixed colors	
" diadematus fl. pl. A magnificent strain	
Imperians nana. Dwarf double dark red	
aiba: Dwarf double wifite	
" " " " Mixed. All colors	
"  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "	
In collection of 6 varieties, separate	
12 " 12 "	
Digitalis. HP. 3 feet. In separate colors: White, Yellow, Rose, Purple: each	
"  (Foxglove). Mixed, all colors	
Dodecatheon Clevelandii. HP. 1 foot. Purple and orange; the giant American Cowslip	
Dolichos lablab. HP. 10 feet. Climbing Hyacinth Bean	
Dracæna draco. GP. 10 feet. Handsome foliage plant	
" indivisa (Cordyline). Fine for vases, etc	10
"Veitchii. 3 feet. Suitable for greenhouse and room plants	
Echeveria metallica. HHP. ½ foot secunda. Well-known plants for Alpine and fancy bedding .	25
Erysimum Peroffskianum. HA. 11/2 feet. Orange; very attractive	5
Eschscholtzia Californica. HA. 1 foot. Yellow.	
Well-known beauti-)	
Well-known beauti-)	5
" crocea. " Orange. Well-known beauti-	5

Flower Seeds, continued.	
Euphorbia marginata. HA. 1½ feet. Pretty white and green foliage \$c	pkt.
Ferns. Mixture of seed, from a fine collection	25
"Choice collection, including 12 fine sorts, each separate	-
Forget=me=not (Myosotis). HHP. ¾ foot. Old favorites for spring gardening.	,
" alpestris. Blue.	
" alba. White. Large-flowering and early	10
Victoria. Blue; fine for pots	25
dissitiflora. Dark blue; the finest of all	10
rour O'Clock (Marvel of Peru). HHA. 2 feet. Well-known and showy annuals.	25
Mixed colors	5
bulb	10
ruchista. Gr. Mixed single and double, saved from the best strains	50 50
Gaillardia. HHP. 2 feet. Beautiful and effective plants for beds and borders.	50
" picta. Single; red and yellow	5
" grandiflora. HP. 11/2 feet. Yellow with a crimson ring; very fine	10
" Lorenziana. Double; mixed colors	5
Gentiana acaulis. HP. ¼ foot. Blue gentian; fine for edging	10
Geranium. GP. 1½ feet. Zonale, Single, finest mixed	10
" Double, "	50
44 Apple-scented; leaves delightfully fragrant	25
Gesneria. GP. 1 foot. Beautiful greenhouse plants, with long tube-shaped flowers of	
beautiful colors	50
Geum atrosanguineum fl. pl. HP. 1½ feet. Beautiful scarlet flowers; excellent for bouquets	76
Gilia. HA. I foot. Tricolor mixed; free-blooming showy annuals	16 5
Glaucium luteum (Horned Poppy). HP. 2 feet. Yellow flowers, with grey foliage	IO
Gloxinia. GP. ½ foot. Exquisite stove plants, producing magnificent flowers; seed saved from a splendid collection	50
Godetia. HA. I to 2 feet. A brilliant and profuse-flowering class of annuals, extremely	50
hardy and of easy cultivation.	
" Duchess of Albany. White, very fine	5
" Lady Albemarle. Crimson; effective	5
Whitneyi. Brilliant carmine	5
" Mixed. All colors, very showy	5
Golden Feather. See Pyrethrum.	
Gomphrena globosa (Batchelor's Buttons). HA. I foot. Old favorite Everlastings with bright colors. They are prized, after being dried, for winter bouquets.	
" rubra. Red	5
" alba. White	5
" carnea. Pink	5
" striata. Striped	5
" aurantiaca. Orange	5
" Mixed. All colors	5
Gourds, Ornamental. HHA. 10 to 15 feet. Excellent and ornamental for covering arbors, fences or trellis work, etc. In separate varieties:	
Mock-Orange, Egg-Shaped, Apple-Shaped, Pear-Shaped,	
Onion-Shaped, Hercules-Club, Sugar-Trough, Bottle, Powder-	
Horn, Dipper, Striped. Mixture of the above varieties. Each	5
Grammanthes gentianoides. HHA Yellow; pretty for edgings, pots or baskets  Grevillea robusta. GP. Elegant foliage plant	10

Flower S	eeds, continued. Per pkt.
Gypsophila elegans. HA. I foot. White	
" rosea. " Rose,	1
	ockwork5
Hawkweed (Crepis.) HA. I foot. Showy	seful for bouquets
Helianthus. See Sunflower.	annual; mixed colors 5
Helichrysum bracteatum. HHA. 2 feet	Yellow
" album.	White.
" atrosanguineum.	Deep Red ful Everlestings for winter
" macranthum.	Rose dried bouquets; should be
" Mixed Colors.	Mixed in every garden.
" monstrosum. " " '' '' foot Dwar	Double Mixed .
	f Double Mixed . ]
Helipterum corymbiflorum. HHA. 1 fo	
" Sanfordii. "	Yellow. Similar to Helichrysum; Yellow. Everlastings.
	lowers. Suitable either for bedding or pots 10
Helleborus niger. HP. I foot. Pink. Th	e Christmas Rose
Hibiscus Africanus. HA. 2 feet. Yellow	and brown 5
" Californicus. HP. 4 ft. White	and carmine
	4 feet. Scarlet 10
	n). HP. 6 feet. Mixed colors 10
White Crimson Canary	garden favorites. In separate colors: Double Yellow, Magenta, Rose, Violet, Lilac: each . 10
Finest mixture, from Chater's	prize strain
	Curious silvery seed-pods 10
Honeysuckle (Hedysarum coronarium).	1 7771
	Elegant for pots or subtropical work; feathery
flowers	
	eo feet. A wonderfully fast and elegant climber 10
	A fine summer Hyacinth 10
Iberis Gibraltarica. HP. 1 foot. Pink.	Perennial Candytufts 10
Somper virgins:	vatery blobs, resembling pieces of ice 5
* -	ose; beautiful pot plant
	orids. Various colors; very fine 25
Iris Kæmpferi (Ianan Iris) HP. 2 feet.	Seed saved from our own grand collection 10
Ipomœa coccinea. HA. 10 to 15 feet. Sc	arlet ) Beautiful climbers of the )
iutea.	Morning-glory type ( * )
	olet and white.
	A. 20 feet. The popular Moonflower 10  Three weeks earlier than preceding 10
" Horsfalliæ. GP. 15 feet. Magni	
Jacob's Ladder (Polemonium cæruleum).	
" alba).	" White 5
	lors; useful for beds and borders 5
Joseph's Coat. See Amaranthus.	e; for edgings 5
	e; for edgings
	Mixed colors
" Tall " HA. 2 feet.	"
" Emperor. "	Very floriferous; mixed colors



LARKSPUR DWARF ROCKET (Annual).



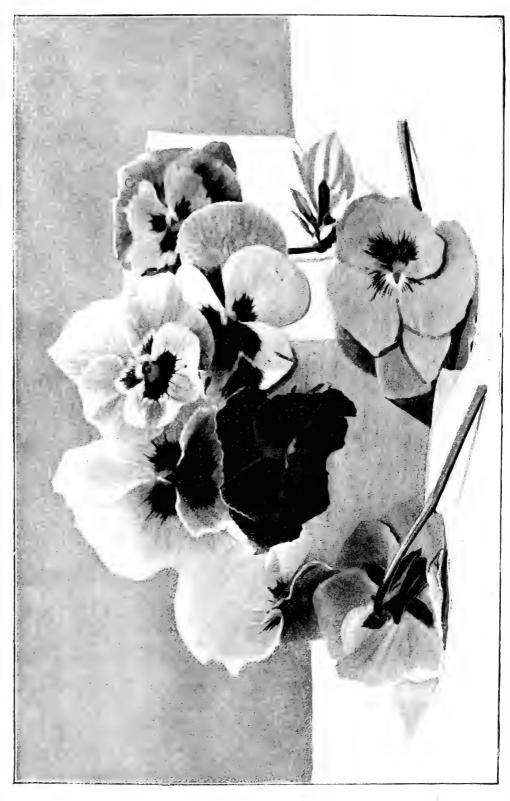
Marigold African "Eldorado."

Flower Seeds, continued.	
Per pkt.	
albus. HP. 6 feet. White.	
Lemon Verbena (Aloysia). GP. 3 feet. Lemon-scented foliage	
Leontopodium alpinum (Gnaphalium) HP 1/2 foot White: the famous Alpine Edelwoise	
Leptosiphon aureus. HA. ½ foot. Orange ) Pretty little annuals; suit- )	
" densiflorus. " Blue Pretty little annuals; suit-	
hybridus. " Mixed colors. able for rockwork \ "	
Limnanthes Douglasii. HA. I foot. White and yellow; fine for beds 5	
Linaria bipartita alba. HP. 1 foot. White; fine for pot-culture 5	
" Cymbalaria (Kenilworth Ivy). HP. Fine for vases, etc	)
Linum flavum. HHP. 3/4 foot. Yellow; pretty for rockeries	)
" grandiflorum rubrum (Scarlet Flax). HA. ¾ foot	
Lobelia cardinalis. HP. Scarlet; beautiful herbaceous plant	)
" gracilis. HHP. Blue. Trailing varieties for vases, baskets, etc 5	
aiba. Winte.	
" Paxtoniana. Blue and white	)
" erecta (True Crystal Palace var.). The best for pots and edgings 10	)
Love-Lies-Bleeding (Amaranthus caudatus). HA. 3 feet	i
Love=in=a=Mist (Nigella Hispanica). HA. r foot. Blue 5	j
Lupinus atroviolaceus. HA. 2 feet. Violet and white; fine spikes 5	i
" hybridus insignis. " Dark red; very massive	í
" sulphureus. " Yellow; bright and attractive 5	j
" nanus. HA. ½ foot. Blue and violet; pretty for edgings 5	j
"Mixed. A variety of colors	i
Lupins. HA. 2 feet. In separate colors: Blue, Rose, White, Yellow: each 5	j
" All colors, mixed; very showy	,
Lychnis Chalcedonica. HP. 2 feet. Scarlet . Fine border plants 5	
alba: winte )	
" fulgens. HHP. I foot. Bright scarlet; very showy	
" Haageana hybrida. HP. I foot. Various colors	)
Malope grandiflora. HA. 2 feet. Red )  "" alba. " White } Mallow-like flowers; very pretty 5	
	;
Marinal Assissa IIA C. I Taran	
Marigold, African. HA. 2 feet. Lemon	
The seed of these showy flow-	
"  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "  "	)
"French Dwarf. HA. 1 foot Mixed for us from select flowers.	,
" Gold-striped	
Martynia proboscidea. HHA. 2 feet. Curious fruit used for pickles	
Marvel of Peru. See Four O'Clocks.	)
Matricaria capensis plena. HA. 2 feet. White. ) Forces on A year was ful for outling.	
** eximea plena. **  Feverfew; very useful for cutting . 5	5
Maurandya Barclayana. GP. 10 feet. Blue and white	,
"Mixed colors; beautiful greenhouse climber	
Mesembryanthemum tricolor. HHA. ½ foot. Various: for sunny and dry situations.	
" cordifolium variegatum. For sub-tropical and Alpine bedding. 25	
Mignopette Large flawering HA 3/ foot Ruff	
Well known universal	
Crimson Over (1) Crimson (1) Crimson	
Machet Red in every garden; all	
"Hybrid Spiral. HA 1½ feet. Pink are good for cutting.	
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Flower Seeds, continued.	
Mimosa pudica (Sensitive Plant), HHA. 3/4 feet. Pink. Curls up its leaves when	pkt
Mimulus hybridus cupreus. HP. I foot. Mixed colors.  '' tigridioides.  '' '' Monkey flowers	
" duplex (Hose-in-Hose.) " Double flowers. ) " Moschatus. ½ foot. The Musk Plant	
orange and cream	IC
Momordica balsamina. HHA. 10 feet. Balsam Apple	5
Moon=Flower. See Ipomœa.	
<ul> <li>Musa ensete. GP. 10 feet. The Abyssinian Banana; splendid tropical plant</li> <li>Myosotis. See Forget-Me-Not.</li> <li>NASTURTIUM. Beautiful bedding-plants. Planted in poor soil they flower profusely, and the colors of the flowers cannot be excelled. Empress of India and King of Tom Thumbs have beautiful dark foliage. Should be in every garden.</li> <li>Tom Thumb. HA. ¾ foot.</li> </ul>	
Scarlet. An old favorite; very bright	5
Spotted. Very showy and attractive	5
Black. King Theodore; very free-flowering	_
Rose. Very chaste; a great favorite	5
Cream Colored (Pearly Pearly white; distinct	
Ruby King. A very brilliant shade of color	_
King of Tom Thumbs. Scarlet; fine dark green leaves	
color	
<ul> <li>Aurora. Primrose and pink; quite a new combination of color.</li> <li>Lady Bird. Yellow and red; very showy and attractive</li> </ul>	5 5
Crystal Palace Gem. Yellow and crimson; makes a beautiful bother	5
All Colors Mixed	5
In separate colors; collection of 8 varieties	1
Tall or Climbing Varieties. In separate colors: Crimson, Scarlet, Orange, Yellow,	50
Spotted, Purple, Scarlet, Striped: each	5 5
"Collections of 8 separate varieties	40 50
Nemophila insignis. HA ½ foot. Blue and white. Very pretty  '' Mixed. '' Fine for edgings	5 5
Nertera depressa. GP. Creeping plant, bearing coral berries	25
colossea. HHA. 6 feet. A noble foliage plant for sub-tropical gardening	5 25
Nycterinia selaginoides. HHP. ¾ foot. Pink } Fine for hanging-bas-	5
Cenothera acaulis. HA. 1 foot. White The varieties of the Evening Primrose are very large	5
Lamarckiana. HB. 1½ feet. Yellow	5
Oxalis tropæloides. HA. ½ foot. Dark yellow; brown foliage, fine for Alpine bedding	
Pæony officinalis. HP. 1½ feet. Single; mixed colors	5 10

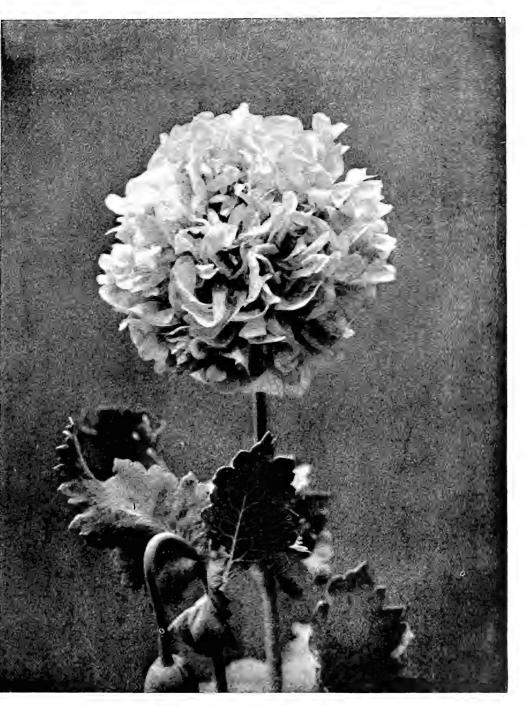


WELL-GROWN MIGNONETTE. HYBRID SPIRAL.



Flower Seeds, continued.	
PANSY (Viola tricolor; Heartsease). This is a hardy annual, the stalks attaining the height of six inches. All our seed is saved from the best and most noted growers, both in Europe and America, and cannot be equalled. They should be carefully treated and cultivated in order to produce large flowers and good foliage. Seed should be sown early in autumn or very early in the spring, preferably in a frame. There is nothing finer than a bed of these showy and popular flowers.  Black (Faust). Very intense	
White. With black eye; very effective	
Pure Yellow (The Gem). Fine for borders	
Striped and Mottled. Very pretty	
Bronze. Rich color, and very effective	
Light Disc	
Black Blue. Beautiful for beds and masses	
Emperor William. Blue; the finest of the blues	
Lord Beaconsfield. Violet and white; handsomely shaded	
Snow Queen. White, pure, no eye; sating gloss	
Grand and effective for beds and masses	
Odier or Fine-Blotched. Very large flowers, bright rich colors	
Giant Trimardeau. A fine strain of very large flowers	
Bugnot's Superb=Blotched. A fine strain of very large flowers 50	
Peacock. Beautifully marked in gorgeous colors: extra fine	
Our Own Unsurpassed Mixture. This cannot be excelled	
Good Mixed. A fine strain; all shades of color	
Collection of 6 separate varieties, 50 cts.  '' 12 '' '' \$1.00  '' 24 '' '' \$1.50	
Paralelana amerika HHD we first Plan Descion Assess	
Passiflora cærulea. HHP 10 feet. Blue Passion flower	)
gracilis. "White "	
Pelargonium (Fancy Geranium). GP. 2 feet. Mixed colors	)
Pentstemon. HP. 2 feet. American Varieties Mixed. These are very showy and European " grand for mixed borders.	)
Perilla Nankinensis. HHA. 1½ feet. ) Dark purple foliage plants,	5
iacimatus.	
Petunia. HHP. 1½ feet. These well known plants for summer bedding, are also very useful for house-culture as well as for pots.	
Single, Hybrid varieties. Fine mixed	
" Large-flowering, superb strain	5
" Large-flowered Fringed. Extra fine	О
" Dwarf Inimitable	5
** Double, Large-flowering. Mixed colors	5
Large-flowering Fringed. Extra fine	,
quire description, and should be in every garden. They are also useful for pots	
in the house. The grandiflora section are very fine.	
Ordinary Class. In separate colors: Scarlet, White, Purple, Striped, Rose, Yellow,	
	5
Grandiflora (Large-flowered Section). In separate colors: White, Scarlet, Rose,	Þ
Yellow, Striped, Deep Purple, Crimson with White Eye: each 10	o
Finest mixture of above colors	O
New Dwarf Fireball. Glowing scarlet. ) Fine for growing in pots in )	_
Snowball. Pure white hoves very handsome.	U
Fancy Mixed. All colors	
Cuspidata. The Star of Quedlinburg	
Graf Gero Mixed. Grand for market work	O
Collections of 12 separate varieties, grandiflora, 75 cents.	
Collections of the congrete varieties. New Dwarf \$1.	

			Flower Seeds, continued.	1-4
Phlox d	ecussata.	HP. 2 t	o 3 feet. Mixed colors; fine for borders and shrubberies.	erpkt. \$o 10
			ood double mixture	
4.6			xtra fine; saved from stage flowers only	
Pink.	See Dianthu	10		
Platyco	don grand	iflorum	album. HP. 2 feet. White. Large Chinese Bell-flowers	
6.6		6 6	album. HP. 2 feet. White. Large Chinese Bell-flowers	. 10
	nium. See			
Polyant	thus (Primi	ıla elatio	r). HP. ¾ foot. Fine for mixed borders	. 10
6.6			Finest gold-laced; selected	
Poppy.	HA 2 fee	t. Noth	ing is more gorgeous and lasting than a bed of these beautifu	ıl
	flower	s. To l	keep up a continuous bloom, cut off the seed-pods as they form	1.
6.6	Single, Me	phisto.	Scarlet, with black spots	. 5
6.6	'' Da	nebrog.	Scarlet, with white cross in center	. 5
6.6	'' Fla	g of Tru	ace. Beautiful sating white	. 10
6.4			Iceland Poppy). Yellow; very pretty	
6.6	" Ice	land. I	n fine mixture	; IO
6.6	" Sh		emi-double, beautiful colors	
6.6	Double, M	ikado.	White and scarlet-fringed	. 10
6.6	" Ca	rnation-	flowered. Various colors ) Beautiful massive and handsome	1
6.6	'' Pa	eony-flov	vered. " " flowers	5
4.6	bracteati	ım. HI	P. Orange scarlet	. 10
6.6	orientale	• "	Scarlet; purple spots	. 10
Portula			Showy and well-known flowers, delighting in a sunny position	
6.6	Ir Minter	separate	e colors: Purple, White, Orange, Scarlet, Yellow, Striped: eac	h 5
4.6			the finest colors	
	Pi	irple: e	ach	. 25
6.6	Double	e, mixtur	e of colors, fine	. 10
Potenti	lla. HP. 1	½ feet.	Single mixed. Fine for border plants	, 10
6.6			Double-flowering. Mixed	. 25
Primula	Sinensis	gree	Primrose.) GP. ¾ foot. Universal favorites for the house an nhouse during winter and spring. Our seed has been saven the largest flowers only. They require rich soil.	
6.6	6.6	fimbriat	ta alba. White; beautifully fringed	. 25
6.6	6.6	6.6	rubra. Red; fine for house work	
6.6	6.6	6.6	coccinea. Bright red; showy and attractive	
4.6	4.6	4.6	cærulea. Blue; quite distinct; fine	. 25
6.6	6.6	6.6	Kermesina splendens. Crimson; very brilliant	. 25
4.6	4.6	6.6	punctata atropurpurea. Striped; delicate and pretty	. 25
4.4	6.6	6.6	Finest Mixed	. 25
6.6	4 6	4 6	filicifolia (Fern-leaved). Finest mixed	. 50
6.6	6.6	4.6	Double White.	( -
6.6	6.6	6.6	" Red. Very useful for design work	75
6.6	4.6	6.6	·· Mixed.	(
4.6	obconica.	Pale lil	lac, fine for pots; a perfect gem	. 25
4.4	Cashmeri	ana. H	P. ¼ foot. Very early, rosy lilac	. 10
6.6	cortusoid		rian Primrose). HP. 1 foot. Deep rose	
6.6	Japonica.		1/2 feet. Various colors, beautiful	
- "	vulgaris.		foot. The English Yellow Primrose	
•		_	im. HP. I foot. Dark scarlet	
66		,	en-feather). HP. ½ foot. Yellow foliage; for edges of borders	
"	Large	-floweri	ing Hybrids. 2 feet. Single, mixed colors	
66	4,11 ml ···		Double	_
	-		3 to 4 feet. Daisy-like flowers, excellent for cutting	
Kneum	paimatum.	, пг. 3	feet. Ornamental Rhubarb, for sub-tropical work	. 10



POPPY, DOUBLE CARNATION FLOWERED.

Flower Seeds, continued.	
<b>Rhodanthe.</b> HHA. I foot. Very beautiful, delicate-looking Everlastings, much prized for winter bouquets.	okt.
" maculata. Rose and white	TO
" alba. White	10
" Colors mixed	10
" Manglesi. Rose and white; smaller flowers	10
Ricinus (Castor-Oil Plant). HHA. Noble ornamental foliaged plants, very much used for centers of beds and sub-tropical gardening.	10
"Borboniensis. 15 feet. Immense foliage of a violet color	5
" Cambodgensis. 5 feet. Dark purple foliage, with a black stem	
"Gibsoni. 5 feet. Dark purple-red foliage and stems	5
" communis. 6 feet. Green foliage	
"Finest Mixed	5
Rivinia Humilis. GP. 2 feet. A pretty greenhouse plant, bearing long racemes of scarlet berries. Very showy	10
Rocket, Sweet. HP. 2 feet. Purple. White. Well known old-fashioned varieties	5
Romneya Coulteri. HHP. 6 to 8 feet. The great Californian Poppy. The flowers are pure white, 4 to 5 inches across, with yellow stamens and have a delicate primrose perfume. It is a grand acquisition to the	
garden	10
Salvia. Exceedingly handsome plants, admirably adapted to beds or mixed borders.  "splendens (Scarlet Sage). HHP. 3 feet. Scarlet	
" flora alba. White	10
" Ræmeriana. 1 foot. Crimson dwarf	25
patens. HHP. 3 feet. One of the finest blue flowers in cultivation	10
Sanvitalia procumbens fl. pl. HA. ½ foot. Yellow; Beautiful dwarf annual for beds or	25
rockeries	5 5
" ocymoides splendens. HP. ½ foot. Fine for rockwork	5
Scabiosa. HA. 1½ to 2½ feet. This is the old-fashioned "Mourning Bride." It is very showy in borders and very useful for cutting.	3
" candidissima (Snowball). Pure white	10
"Large-flowering Double Mixed	5
" Dwarf Double Mixed	5
Schizanthus. HHA. 2 feet. Elegant and free-flowering annuals, combining a great range of color and very suitable for growing in pots in the greenhouse. Finest	
Mixed	5
Sedum cœruleum (Stonecrop). HA. ¼ foot. A pretty little blue flower for rockeries,	10
beds, etc	10
Senecio elegans. See Jacobæa.	
Sensitive Plant. See Mimosa.	
Silene pendula ruberrima (Catch-fly). HA. 1 foot Red; very pretty annual for beds.	5
" Mixed sorts. Very showy	5
	10
Snapdragon. See Antirrhinum.	
Solanum capsicastrum. GP. 2 feet. Pretty plants with red berries for winter decoration of the house and conservatory; sometimes called "Jerusalem Cherry."	10
Statice incana hybrida (Sea Lavender). GP. 1½ feet. Beautiful for winter bouquets;	10
Mixed	10
Ditte, file for whiter boundaries	10
Stevia serrata. GP. 1½ feet. Pure white; a very useful plant; flowers are very much used for bouquets in winter	10

		Flower Seeds, co	ntinued.		Dom	14
	S, German Ten-Wee admired as summer bla color; seed should be be transplanted several also useful for pots and varf Large-flowering,	soming plants, for sown early in spring times to ensure vindow boxes. in separate colors	their great g, in frames a dwarf, co s: White, C lliant Rose,	t beauty and va or the house, an empact habit. The canary-Yellow, So Violet: each	own and ariety of d should They are ky-Blue,	
		ions of 6 separa		o cents.		
	"	12 "		5 cents.		
	ge=Flowering Wallflo					
	arf Snowflake. Whit					
Cut	and Come Again. P					
Stocks,	and frequent cutting Intermediate or Aut	umnal, in separate	colors: W	hite, Crimson, L	ight Blue,	25
4.6	Viol Wixtur	et, Rose: each				10
4.4	Brompton, Biennial	e of colors of above	e		on Light	10
		Violet, Sulphur-Yel				
4.6		of above colors				10
	Emperor or Perpetu					10
Sunflow	mixing amon they cannot the dried stal	plants are more u g shrubs or coveri be surpassed. Th ks are capital fire-w	ng and hidi ne seeds mal rood; should	ing fences, outhon ke good chicken be in every garde	ouses etc., food, and en.	
66	Single, Annuus,	Single, Russian. 6	feet			5
66	Macroph	yllus giganteus. 5 : colored. 5 feet.	teet. Yellov Very fine	v, pyramidai		5 5
"		lde. 5 feet. Oran				
44		lus. 4 feet. Silve	~			_
6.6	01,	icus fl. pl. 5 feet.				_
4.6						5
6.6		viridis. 4 feet. (				5
4.6		pl. 3 feet. Yello				
Sweet P	Peas. HA. 4 to 6 feet.	Very beautiful as	nd sweet-sce	nted flowers, of	which no	
4.6	praise is nee					
66	Adonis. Carmin	e; a very beautiful e, tinted lilac; delic	shade			5 5
6.6	Mrs. Sankey. P	ure white; a grand	variety .			5
"	Black Purple. I	Black; deep and co	mmanding			5
"	White. Pure wh	ite; fine for cutting Purple. A pretty co	mbination			5
4.6	Striped. Very s	nowy and attractive	····			5
66	Vesuvius. Dark	red; very brilliant				5
"		Rose and white; a r Pure white; very l				5
6.6		Rose; very chas				5 5
6.6	Boreatton. Mar	oon; a beautiful ne	w shade			5
66		s. Blue and white				5
6.6	Invincible Scarle	rry. Pink and whi t )	te, a uwaii v	variety, strong si	.сшэ. , .	5
4.6		,	The brightes	t of their color		5
66		ne (Cardinal)				_
"	Orange Prince.	Orange, scarlet. Q	uite a new s	hade; very fine		5
"		hite and rose; very				5
		es. Scarlet; mottle		·		5
4.6	Mixture of all th	oorted) of 12 sep.	arate variet			ď
6.6		rids. New choice			rs	5 10
66	11 11			parate varieties		50
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Flower Seeds, continued.	1-4
Sweet Sultan. HA. 1½ feet. Showy annual for borders; mixed colors	o5
Single Mixed. A fine strain	5
44 Auricula-eyed. Selected mixture	10
16 Double Mixed. Very lasting	10
Tacsonia Von Volxemii. GP. 10 feet. Beautiful greenhouse climber, with lovely scarlet	
flowers, resembling a Passion-flower	25
beds or ribbon borders	5
<b>Tassel Flower</b> (Cacalia). HA. 2 feet. Mixed, scarlet and orange	5
baskets; buff, white, orange, etc., in mixture	5
Torenia. HHA. I foot. Beautiful plants for vases, baskets etc. They bloom continually during the summer in the open ground, and in the greenhouse during winter.	J
"Bailloni. Deep yellow and maroon	25
" Fournieri. Porcelain blue and rich violet; throat, bright yellow	25
" White Wings. Pure white, flushed with rose at the throat	25
Trifolium suaveolens (Sweet-scented Clover). HA. Purple	5
Tritoma uvaria grandiflora (Red-Hot-Poker Plant). HP. 3 feet. Very effective in	_
Shrubberies and borders	10
Brilliant. Rich scarlet	10
" Spit-fire. Fiery red	10
Asa Gray. Wittle	10
Napoleon III. Tenow, spotted brown	10
Finest mixed	10
"Canariense. The well known Canary-Bird flower	10
Valerian. HP. 1½ feet. Showy hardy perennials, with large heads of bright scarlet, rose and white flowers. In mixture	5
borders, blooming continuously as they do from spring until autumn.  Although perennials, they flower the same season if sown early. In separate colors: Scarlet, White, Blue, Striped: each	10
" Hybrida Mixed. Very select strain	10
Mammoth. A selected strain, with very large flowers	25
Veronica (Speedwell). HP. I to 2 feet. Beautiful hardy class of plants for borders; mixed varieties	10
<b>Vinca.</b> HHP. 1½ feet. Fine for conservatory, parlor windows, borders or beds.	
" alba. Pure white	10
" rosea. Rose	10
" rosea alba. White, with red eye	10
" Mixture of colors	10
Violets. HHP. ½ foot. Well-known sweet-scented favorites. The seed takes a good	
while to germinate. Blue and White	10
Vicenia conteta (D. C.T. ) TTA C. D. 111 1 1	5
Wallflower. HHP. 11/2 feet. Old fashioned flowers, very useful for spring bedding.	J
"Single. Large-flowering mixed	e.
"Double. Large-flowering mixed	5
" In imported collection of 6 double sorts	10
Whitlavia grandiflora. HA. I foot. Blue, bell-shaped flowers	50 5
Wigandia Vigieri. HHP. 4 feet. Ornamental foliage for sub-tropical work	5 10

Flower Seeds, continued.		
Xeranthemum. HA 2 feet. Fine old everlasting; mixed colors	Per	pkt.
Yucca filamentosa (Adam's Needle). HHP. 6 feet. Fine for specimens on	lawn,	
large rockeries and borders; flowers creamy white  Zinnia. HA. 1 to 2 feet. Fine bedding and border plants, blooming long and abun Flowers are very rich and varied in color, and our seed, being carefully s	dantly.	
from fine blooms only, cannot fail to give satisfaction.		
"Double. In separate colors: White, Purple, Yellow, Scarlet, Salmon, Ros		5
" Mixture of above colors and others		5
The W Grant. Robust nowering, mixed colors		
" Dwarf Large-flowering; mixed colors		5
" Pompone. Small flowers; mixed colors		5
" In collections of 10 separate colors		_
Ornamental Grasses.		
Many of these grasses, if cut before they are entirely ripe, will be found useful is ation of winter bouquets.	a the for	rm
A constitution of the control of the	Perp	
Agrostis nebulosa (Cloud Grass). HA. I foot. Feathery-like. Useful for bouque		5
Arundo donax. HP. 10 feet. Fine for sub-tropical work; noble		
Avena sterilis (Animated Oats). HA. 2 feet. Drooping panicles; look pretty cut i		5
Briza maxima (Large Quaking Grass). HA. I foot ) Effective when mixed with		)
" gracilis (Slender Quaking Grass). " lastings		5
Bromus brizæformis. HP. 2 feet. Graceful panicles; very attractive		5
Coix lachryma (Job's Tears). HA. $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Pretty seeds, used for necklaces		5
Eragrostis elegans (Love Grass). HA. I foot. Pretty dancing spikelets		5
Erianthus Ravennæ (Plume Grass). HP. 10 feet. Very stately for lawns and bor		10
Eulalia Japonica (Zebra-Grass). HP. 6 feet. Striped foliage; large handsome plu		10
Gynerium argenteum (Pampas Grass). HHP. 8 feet. Beautiful plumes		10
Hordeum jubatum (Squirrel-Tail Grass). HA. 2 feet: Pretty bushy heads Lagurus ovatus (Hare's-Tail Grass). HA. 2 feet. Very peculiar and downy seed		5 5
Stipa pennata (Feather Grass). HP. 1½ feet. Very graceful. Very showy when		
Tripsacum dactyloides (Sesame Grass). HP. 4 feet. Singular; fine for borders.	-	
Zea Japonica (Striped Maize). HA. 3 feet. Very effective for shrubberies		
Collection of 12 Ornamental Grasses		50
" 25 " "	I	00
Palm Seeds.		
For decoration of the house, greenhouse, etc., their tropical appearance have a ing effect. We only enumerate here a few of the leading kinds, as the seeds, ripenin ent seasons and in different climates, keep arriving at various seasons of the year, but all times be happy to forward any enquirer a full list of varieties with prices.	g at diff	er-
Areca lutescens. One of the finest of the Arecas, with rapid and graceful growth; s	Per p	ıkt,
yellow	\$0	25
Brahea filifera. Large fan-shaped leaves, with thread-like filaments hanging from the	he seg-	
ments. Very handsome, beautiful for vases		25
Cocos Weddeliana. One of the most graceful Palms in cultivation; for dinner-table and pots in small vases it cannot be surpassed	e work	25

Double Zinnia (Youth and Old Age). (See opposite page.)



Select Strains of Florists' Flowers.

Palm Seeds, continued.

Per p	okt.
Centia Belmoreana. Very handsome plants for dinner-table decorations, jardinieres,	
etc. It also stands varied temperatures well	25
atanica Borbonica. Broad fan-shaped leaves of quick growth, and is par excellence	
the Palm for piazzas, halls, lawns or house decoration	25
Pandanus utilis (The Screw Pine). A fine decorative plant for vases, jardinieres, etc.,	
and as it stands gas, dust and rough usage, will be found invaluable	25

# Orchid Seeds.

## Seeds of Cypripedium Hybrids.

During the past season we have artificially hybridized numbers of Cypripedium blossoms, making crosses as distinct as the flowering season would admit of. This seed we now offer for sale to those who wish to try the experiment of raising Cypripediums from seed. We may say in advance that we would not recommend the experiment to any one except those with a collection of Orchids, and who understand the treatment of the young plants: but to such we feel it will be a pleasure to watch the growth and development of the plant, whose flower may be a distinct and valuable form, worth perhaps several hundred dollars. Our collections of Cypripediums is the largest in the world, and we have upward of 2,000 seedlings ourselves which have never blossomed. Such of our seedlings, however, as have bloomed, are in most cases very valuable, and we have sold them at high prices.

The seed should be planted in sphagnum moss on the top of a pot, around a larger plant. After two leaves have developed they may be transferred to thumb-pots, and, as they grow, into larger pots. We have had them bloom in from 2 to 5 years' time from the sowing of the seed. The names of the species used in the hybridization will appear on each packet of seed. Per pkt., 75 cts.

## Good News from Patrons.

Springfield, Ohio, April 25, 1892. A. R. ALDRICH, Florist.

Plants arrived in good condition, and gave satisfaction.

Chrysanthemums.

WALTHAMSTOWE FARM, CHELTENHAM, PA., March 16, 1892.

The plants arrived in excellent order, and I am pleased with your selections.

ROCKSIDE, YONKERS, N. Y., May 9, 1892. The plants arrived in excellent order, and are very satisfactory. Thanks for your generous gift of prize

Mrs. J. Hall Dow.

PITTSFORD, April 15, 1892. The Palms and Ferns arrived in first-class order, and when unwrapped look as fresh and nice as if just out of your greenhouse. I am very much pleased with them. C. RICHARDSON.

JACKSONVILLE, OREGON, May 23, 1892. Permit me to express to you the satisfaction I felt upon receiving the seven fine Chrysanthemums and other plants from you. They were very large for mailing plants, and were received in such fine condition. They were the best plants I have received by mail, and I buy a goodly number each year. MRS. LIONEL WEBSTER.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., JUNE 18, 1892. Allow me to express thanks to you for the neatness and thoroughness with which you filled my order for Ferns. The plants, too, please me. I do not remember in quite a long experience to have received greater satis-JOHN R. ELGAR.

faction for one or many dollars. NORRISTOWN, PA., May 9, 1892. I received my plants yesterday in very good order, and I thank you for your kindness, and for the extra

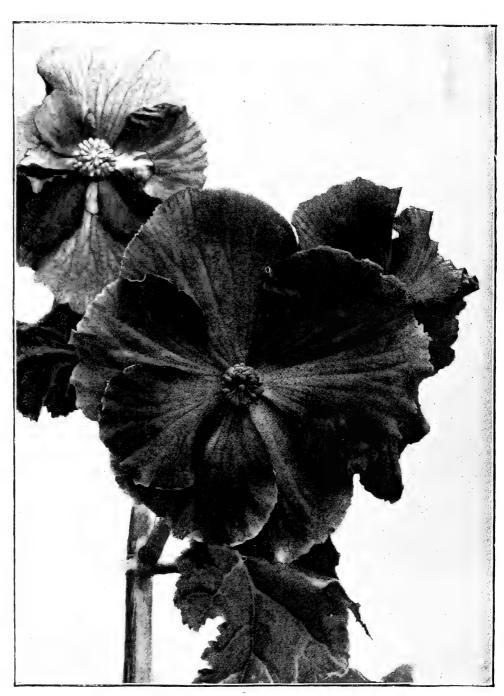
plants. They are very much finer than any we can get near home, and I have had from several places. MRS. ANDREW M. GALLAGHER.

# Flower Seeds by Weight.

The following seeds are generally required in large quantities, and will be supplied at the annexed low prices by weight, in quantities of not less than ½ ounce of each kind. For prices of packets see alphabetical list of Flower Seeds.

Per oz.	Per oz.
Ageratum Mexicanum \$0 30	Nasturtium, Tom Thumb, Scarlet . \$0 20
<b>Alyssum,</b> Sweet 30	" Yellow 20
Antirrhinum (Snapdragon), Finest Mixed 40	" Spotted 20
Aquilegia, Fine mixed 30	" Empress of
Aster, Mixed China or German 40	India 40
Balsams, Double Mixed 40	" Mixed 15
" Camellia-flowered, Finest . I 50	" Tall Mixed 15
Balloon Vine 20	Nemophila insignis, Blue 20
Bartonia aurea. Yellow 30	Pansy, Fine Mixed 1 00
Calendula Meteor 30	" Giant Trimardeau 3 oo
" Prince of Orange 30	"P. & M.'s Unsurpassed 6 oo
Calliopsis, Single Mixed 30	Petunia, Striped and Blotched 1 00
Canary Bird Flower 50	Phlox Drummondii, Fine Mixed 50
Candytuft, White 20	" Large-flowering
" Purple 30	Mixed 1 00
" Crimson 30	Poppy Carnation, Double Mixed 30
" Empress. White 60	Portulaca, Single Mixed 40
Canna, Fine Mixed 20	Pyrethrum (Golden Feather) · 1 00
" Crozy's Dwarf Mixed 75	Ricinus (Castor Beans), Mixed 10
Chrysanthemum, Single Mixed 30	Salvia splendens, Scarlet 1 50
Double Mixed 30	Saponaria Calabrica
Cineraria maritima 40	Silene pendula, Mixed 30
Clarkia, Mixed 30	Smilax 1 00
Cobæa scandens	Sweet Pea, White
Collinsia bicolor 30	Scarlet, (Invincible)
Convolvulus major (Morning Glory) 20	" Blue "
" minor, Dwarf 20	Carmine "
Cosmos hybridus, Mixed	"Black Purple
Cypress Vine, Mixed 30	"Butterfly
Dahlia, Double Mixed	" Painted Lady
" Single Mixed, our own saving . 1 50	" Miss Blanche Ferry
Dianthus Chinensis (China Pink) 40	" Blush
Digitalis (Foxglove), Mixed 30	" Light Blue and Purple
Eschscholtzia Californica 30	Striped
Four O'Clocks, Mixed 20	"Fine Mixed
Gaillardia picta 40	Eckford's Mixed
Lorenziana 50	Sweet William, Fine Mixed 30
Godetia, Mixed 30	Sunflower, Double Californian 20
Hollyhock, Double Mixed	Stocks, Ten-Weeks, Ordinary Mixed 75
Larkspur, Dwarf Rocket 30	" Double German . 3 oo
"Tall Rocket 30	Thunbergia, Fine Mixed 50
Linum rubrum (Scarlet Flax) 40	Tropæolum Lobbianum, Mixed 40
Lupins, Mixed 10	Verbena, Hybrid Mixed 2 00
Marigold, African, Mixed 30	Virginian Stock, Mixed 30
" French, Mixed 30	Viscaria oculata 30
Mignonette, Large-flowering 15	Wallflower, Single Mixed 30
" Hybrid Spiral 40	Zinnia, Double Mixed 40
" Machet	" New Giant Robust, Mixed 75

View in one of our Chrysanthemum-Houses.



OUR STRAIN OF TUBEROUS BEGONIAS. (See opposite page for descriptions and prices.)

# Bulbs for Spring Planting.

# Begonias, Tuberous-Rooted.

Probably no family of plants has been hybridized with such success as this, the result being flowers both double and single, of innumerable shades of color, ranging from pure white, through rose and pink to intense crimson and fiery scarlet, and from the deepest yellow to tawny brown and brilliant orange, and often attaining a size of from five to six inches in diameter. They are among the finest flowering plants for greenhouse and window decoration, as well as for summer bedding. Being easy of cultivation, they should be in every collection. Begonias should be kept cool and shaded. Do not try to force them, as they are apt to become long and "spindling." They should be watered sparingly at first, but once well started, give plenty of water and air. When done blooming, dry off and store away, in the same manner as Dablias or other bulbous roots.

We beg to call **special attention** to our colored plate, showing the different types of Begonias, of which our unsurpassed collection is very extensive and complete, and have much pleasure in offering the following **special collections** of our own selection of these grand varieties at the following low rates;

#### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS.

- 6 Named Double Varieties in distinct and separate colors, \$2.75.
- 6 Single Varieties in distinct and separate colors, \$1.75.

# Single Varieties.

These are from an extra selected strain, and the colors are very fine.
Each Per doz.
Dark Red, Rose, Pure White, Blush White
Orange Red, Dark Rose, Yellow all shades, Bronze or Copper 50 5 00
<b>Pure Yellow.</b> Very fine
Single, Mixed. All colors Per 100, \$18 . 20 2 00
For type of Single Begonias, see fig. 1, colored plate.
Double Varieties.
Each
Adelina Lefevre. Rose, spotted red. Dwarf, and a good bedder; very showy \$0 50
Blanche Duval. Creamy white; guard petals deep blush; large flowers of the finest
form; dwarf and free. (See fig. 2, on colored plate) 50
Charlemagne Denisard. Red, striped with white, clear centre; grand flower 50
Clemence Denisard. Satin rose; very free bloomer and one of the finest varieties
(See fig. 3, on colored plate)

Davisii. Flowers of a peculiar and beautiful shade of currant red; very effective; dwarf

habit, fine for bedding

#### TUBEROUS-ROOTED BEGONIAS, continued.

Eac	h
Dr. Gaillard. Of a brilliant glittering red color, a beautiful flower for contrasting \$0.7	75
Grand Alexandre. Carmine red; very free-flowering and fine for pots. (See fig. 4, on	
colored plate)	50
Gringalet. Perfectly formed flowers of a rosy currant shade; very floriferous	75
Madame Gaillard. Flowers of a pleasing shade of rosy carmine, and very effective	50
Madame Courtier. Flowers white, suffused with pale sulphur yellow. Dwarf; fine for	
bedding	00
Madame Arnoult. Of a most pleasing shade of pinkish blush, slightly edged deeper; flowers almost circular, of the finest shape and form; habit free and dwarf 1 of	00
NY 1 NY	75
Mistress Franck. White, slightly tinged with sulphur; flowers very large, a useful	Ĭ
variety	00
36 1/104	50
Nana compacta violacea. Flowers of a deep shade of carmine red, and very free-flow-	
ering; habit dwarf	50
	50
Octavie Malet. Producing an abundance of pure white flowers, shaped like a miniature	
Camellia; very useful for wreaths	00
Reine Isabelie. Flowers of a clear, rosy carmine red, with large and handsome blooms. I do	00
Rosamond. A pleasing and attractive variety, with flowers of beautiful salmon-rose	50
Rosette. Flowers rosy satin; large and very double	75
	50
Sulphureus. Deep sulphur-yellow; flowers beautifully formed, large and very effective.	
(See fig. 5, on colored plate)	50
# 74 / Pb 4 4	15
Double Mixed Colors, Unnamed assorted per doz. \$4	10

# Cannas, New French.

Too much cannot be said in praise of these magnificent flowering plants. They are of dwarf habit, averaging four feet in height, with luxuriant and richly-colored foliage, but their great merit lies in the large size and dazzling hues of the flowers, ranging through all shades of yellow and orange to the richest crimson and scarlet. The cultivation is so easy, and they are so showy, that everyone should have a few in their gardens. No other plants give so much beauty in both foliage and flower.

Adolphe Wieck. Foliage green; flowers crimson, lip spotted orange; of dwarf habit.

Admiral Courbet. Dwarf; very large flowers of fine yellow, mottled with scarlet; foliage green.

Antoine Chantin. Well-rounded flowers of a pretty salmon-cherry shade; handsome broad green foliage.

B. Cousancat. Flowers a fine bright orange; beautiful green foliage.

Chevalier Besson. Green foliage, large bright orange-red flowers; free flowering, tall habit. Comte de Germany. Foliage dark red; flowers orange red, a very effective plant.

Comte Horace de Choiseul. Very dwarf, strong grower; foliage dark green; flowers large, petals broad; color handsome cherry-crimson.

Depute Henoy. Flowers a pale yellow, streaked with rose; strong grower.

Ehemanni. Large, wide, light green leaves; flowers crimson, fully three inches long; fine, but of much taller growth than others of the class.

Emile Guchard. Large, beautiful crimson flowers; leaves fine metallic color; good grower.

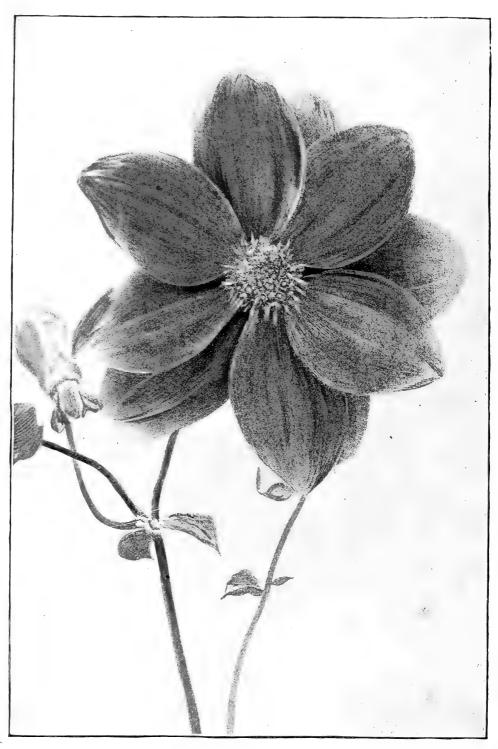
Edouard Andre. Large amaranth flowers; beautiful dark green foliage. Felix Crousse. Deep rose, shaded with solferino; dwarf; leaves green.

Fascination. Laciniated foliage; flowers golden-yellow, flushed bright maroon.

Guillaume Couston. Flowers light primrose-yellow, mottled bright orange.



DWARF FRENCH CANNA, MADAME CROZY. (See page 91.)



Single Dahlia. (For descriptions and prices, see page 92.)

#### NEW FRENCH CANNAS, continued.

General Boulanger. Leaves dark green; flowers canary yellow, mottled and streaked with crimson-scarlet

Geoffrey St. Hilaire. Beautiful deep orange-scarlet flowers; purple violet foliage; fine.

Henry L. de Vilmorin. Flowers rich flame color, shading yellow; foliage green.

Henry Pasquier. Beautiful flowers of a reddish crimson; habit tall, very attractive.

Ingenieur Alphand. Flowers large, carmine color; foliage purple.

Isaac Casati. Flowers crimson, dark foliage; tall habit.

**Jacquinot de Bonnefond.** Flowers large, petals elongated, color a handsome bright saffron leaves dark purple.

J. Montel. The flowers are of a beautiful and exceedingly dark crimson, foliage dark; medium height; a grand variety. 50 cents each.

Louis Chretien. Bright canary yellow, blotched and spotted with crimson; green foliage.

Leon de St. Feay. Foliage dark green, flowers orange-scarlet; habit tall.

Lamothe. Flowers crimson; habit dwarf.

Madame Crozy. A grand variety about 3 feet high, with flowers of unusually large size and fine rounded petals; color crimson-scarlet, distinctly bordered yellow. 50 cents each.

Madame Soubeyrand. Light orange; red flowers; medium growth.

Madame C. Riviere. Flowers canary yellow, mottled with crimson; of tall habit of growth.

Madame Alegatiere. Foliage dark, flowers fine clear orange; of medium growth.

Multiflora. Large spike of a rich flame color; strong grower; green foliage.

Maurice Rivoire. Finely shaped flowers of an amaranth red color; purple foliage.

M. Laforcade. Dwarf; flowers light orange red; very fine.

Meteor. Flowers bright canary yellow, mottled light brown; tall habit.

Mont d'Or. Flowers orange-yellow, medium growth; very showy.

Nana grandiflora. Deep green foliage, large yellow flower; very fine and dwarf.

Perfection. Flowers large and round; golden yellow, dotted maroon; foliage dark green.

Pictata grandiflora. Flowers yellow, richly mottled red; medium growth.

Revol Massot. Dwarf; brilliant red, mottled with yellow; large spike, green leaves.

Rosaflora. Flowers a beautiful rose color; foliage green, medium growth.

Splendida. Flowers a beautiful orange-salmon, very showy; habit dwarf.

Victor Gaulin. Of dwarf, habit; fine large flowers of a dark solferino color; green foliage.

W. Pfitzer. Flowers red, medium height; good showy variety.

Price, except where noted, 25 cents each, \$2.50 per dozen.

# Dahlias.

The Dahlia is so well known that it requires no comment as to its desirability and beauty for garden decoration.

# Double Large=flowering or Show Dahlias.

Black Dwarf. Flowers of a very rich, dark maroon color; very effective in contrast.

Camelliæflora. Pure white, and one of the best of its kind; very useful for cutting.

Emperor. Large; deep crimson, variegated with pure white; a telling variety.

Emily. Flowers shaded with lilac on a white ground; very chaste and pretty.

Golden Eagle. Deep yellow, bold flowers; fine for exhibition.

Miss Dodd. Very large yellow flowers; a good old sort, highly esteemed by Dahlia fanciers.

Modesty. Flowers of a beautiful shade of lilac, and very suggestive of the name.

Puritan. A lovely combination of lavender and white; very attractive.

Linnæus. A dwarf variety; the flowers have quite a distinct shade of light pink.

John Thorpe. Pretty rose-colored flowers of good substance; a nice color for contrasting.

Also many other varieties; we can supply any standard sort.

Large dry roots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per dozen.

#### DAHLIAS, continued.

# Pompone or Small-flowering Dahlias.

Cockatoo. Charming flowers of a beautiful shade of deep maroon.

Guiding Star. The flowers are pure white, the petals being toothed or jagged; a very useful variety for cutting.

Little Beatrix. Striped white and lilac; has a very pretty and pleasing effect.

Little Elsternix. The flowers are a fine combination of yellow and scarlet; very showy.

Little Goldlight. Beautiful golden-yellow flowers; very showy and effective.

Little Lucy. Flowers a fine dark crimson of perfect form; very fine.

Little Valentine. A lovely shade of light crimson: very pretty and attractive.

Maroon Beauty. One of the best and showiest of this class, the name suggesting the color.

Dry roots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per dozen.

## Cactus Dahlias.

**Electric.** The flowers are of a beautiful dazzling crimson-scarlet, and very showy; valuable **Lord Lyndhurst.** Dark crimson-scarlet; of a beautiful and effective appearance.

A. W. Tait. Pure white, very double; the tips of the petals are deeply toothed.

Mrs. Hawkins. Flowers rich sulphur-yellow, shading to light canary; very effective.

White Ariel. A beautiful variety; flowers pure white, very handsome.

William Pearce. Rich sulphur-yellow, a very telling and effective variety.

Dry roots, 25 cts. each, \$2.50 per dozen.

# Single=flowering Dahlias.

In this class of Dahlias the range of color is wide. They are very effective in shrubberies and borders, and the flowersare most desirable for bouquets and cutting for house decoration.

They can also be raised very successfully from seed, which should be sown the end of March, in a warm place. As soon as possible, transplant the seedlings and keep in a rather cool place till planted out where they are to flower. (Seed, 10 cts. per pkt.)

We have upwards of 150 varieties, but enumerate only 25 sorts, which we consider the best and most effective.

Alleghany. Flowers yellow, tinged with red, of medium size, very pretty and effective.

Amboy. Bright red, with perfect form; flowers very showy and attractive.

Atchison. Flowers of a fine antique pink color; of good habit, and a favorite variety.

Buffalo. Beautiful symmetrical flowers of a bright red color; very showy.

Comanche. Flowers light yellow, of perfect form and good habit; very telling and effective.

Cicero. Flame-colored flowers of quite a novel shade; medium size and very free-flowering.

Chickasaw. Flowers of a pleasing shade of yellow, of a medium size; fine for bouquets.

Chicopee. Producing large, light yellow flowers. This is a very useful variety for shrubberies.

Colorado. Flowers flame-colored, of a medium size and very floriferous; a good variety.

Delaware. Bright red flowers, large and really good; fine for odd corners in shrubberies.

Idaho. The flowers are of a bright light yellow, medium in size and very free flowering.

Jumbo. Large flowers of a bright red color; very free flowering and showy.

Kennebunk. Flowers bright red, of a medium size; useful for cutting.

Kosciusko. Very pretty flowers of a bright maroon color; of medium size and very floriferous.

Mariposa. Handsome flowers of a fine shade of old gold; very attractive.

Mattapan. The flowers are of a beautiful soft rose color, shaded, yellow center; very pretty.

Niagara. Well shaped flowers of medium size, of a light yellow color; very effective.

**Oklahoma.** Flowers of a bright red color, of very fine form; excellent for cutting.

Oneida. The flowers are very large, of a bright yellow color, with good reflexed petals.

Oregon. Fine for cutting; the flowers are bright yellow, of a medium size.

**Potomac.** Deep maroon, of medium size and great substance; a lasting variety.

#### DAHLIAS (Single-flowering), continued.

Saco. The flowers are of a fine scarlet shaded with yellow, and plants are very floriferous.
Saratoga. Well shaped flowers of a bright red color and medium size; good for cutting.
Stella. Large and perfectly shaped flowers of pure white; a great acquisition.

Winnebago. Finely formed flowers of a delicate pink, with yellow center; very attractive.

Me Also many other varieties of single Dahlias.

Rooted cuttings, 25 cts. each, \$2 per dozen.

Collection of 25 varieties, our selection, \$3.50.

'' 50 '' \$6.50.

'' 100 '' \$12.00.

"
100 "
\$12.00.

Mixed Single Dahlias, all colors, dry roots, 25 cts. each, \$2 per dozen.

# Gladioli.

This grand family of autumn flowering plants, with their gorgeous and rich shades of color profusion of bloom and elegance of habit, is entitled to a place in every garden. Their cultivation is very simple; they can be planted from the end of April until the middle of June, in any ordinary garden soil, from four to five inches deep, and produce beautiful spikes of lovely flowers until frost. The bulbs should be taken up after the frost has cut down the foliage.

## Various Mixed Gladioli.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1,000
Red and Scarlet. Varieties mixed	. \$0 30	\$2 00	\$15 00
Light Colors. No red or dark colors; mixed	50	3 00	25 00
White and Light, Standard Selection. Mixed	60	4 00	28 00
White and Light, Extra Choice Selected. Mixed	90	7 00	50 00
Striped and Variegated. Varieties mixed	50	3 00	25 00
Pink. Varieties mixed	50	3 00	25 00
Yellow. Varieties mixed	50	3 00	25 00
Scarlet and Pink. With white throat, mixed	. 75	4 00	35 00
All Colors Mixed	30	2 00	18 00
Extra Fine American Hybrids, Mixed	50	3 00	25 00

## General Collection of Choice Named Gladioli.

Each Per doz	٠
Africain. Slate brown on scarlet ground, streaked with scarlet and pure white;	
white blotch	)
Alexander. Intense crimson-scarlet; very attractive	)
Angele. White, showy and effective; one of the best	)
Brenchleyensis. Bright vermilion-scarlet; fine for massing 10 1 00	)
Calypso. Flesh-colored rose; delicate and pretty	3
Canari. Light yellow, striped rose; handsome flowers	)
Carnation. Fleshy white; very attractive	)
Ceres. White, spotted rose; an elegant variety	)
Cleopatra. Lilac, suffused with violet; a good spike	)
Duchess of Edinburgh. Lilac; very large spike 20 2 00	C
Elizabeth. Dark rose, white striped; very showy flowers 10 I ou	)
Emma Thursby. White ground, carmine stripes through petals, blotch on the	
lower divisions	)
Eugene Scribe. Tender rose, variegated	)
Fatma. White, suffused salmon; very handsome	)
Gen. Phil. Sheridan. Fire red, white line running through each petal, and a	
large pure white blotch on the lower division	)
Gen. Sherman. Large; fine scarlet; fine bold flower 20 2 00	)
Isaac Buchanan. Yellow; a well-known variety	Э

GLADIOLI, continued.	
James Veitch. Crimson, violet blotch; one of the best	Per doz.
John Bull. White, slightly tinged with sulphur	\$I 00 I 00
La Candeur. White, slightly striped with carmine-violet	1 50
Lamarck. Cherry, tinted orange; large pure white stain	1 00
Le Poussin. Light red, white blotch; a good variety ro	I 00
Lord Byron. Brilliant scarlet, blotched pure white 10	I 00
Marie Dumortier. White, violet blotch; very effective	I CO
Martha Washington. Light-yellow, of large size, in a well arranged spike; lower	
petals tinged with rose	2 00
with carmine	1 50
Madame Monneret. Delicate rose; a lovely flower	I 00
Napoleon III. Scarlet, striped white; a good old variety	1 00
Pegasus. Flesh-colored rose; delicate and attractive	1 50
President Lincoln. Blush, white ground, with the edges of the petals suffused with bright rose, the lower divisions heavily blotched and lined crimson 25	2.50
Princess of Wales. White, flamed carmine-rose	2 50 I 00
Shakespeare. White, suffused carmine-rose; large rosy blotch	1 50
Snow White. The best white Gladiolus; good for forcing	2 50
Stella. White, slightly tinted with yellow and rose	I 50
Collections, our own Selection.  Twelve Named Varieties for	
"Fine Named Varieties	
Lemoine's Hybrid Gladioli.	
Sometimes called "Butterfly" Gladiolus, because of the great variety of rich markin pencilings on the petals.	igs anp
Fine Mixture	Per 100 \$4 00
Extra Fine Mixture	5 00
Lilies.	
Lilies are easily cultivated. The ground should be carefully dug and abundantly st with well-rotted manure, planting the bulbs six inches deep, after which they require ver care or attention, except to occasionally stir the soil and keep free of weeds. Plant as e the spring as the ground can be worked.	y little arly in
Lilium auratum (The Golden-Banded Lily of Japan). The grandest of all the Lilies; flowers white, spotted with crimson, with a bright golden band running through each petal; very large and deliciously fragrant	er doz. \$2 50
Auratum rubro vittatum. Very large flowers, sometimes 12 inches across; waxy white, spotted crimson, with a crimson stripe through each petal 1 oo	10 00
Batemannii. Grows from 3 to 4 feet high, with richly colored unspotted flowers of a bright apricot tint	2 50
Canadense (Canadian Lily). Flowers yellow, varying to orange, spotted with	5.
reddish purple; one of the best of our native Lilies	I 50
mixed colors	3 00
Humboldtii. One of the finest of Californian Lilies, growing 6 feet high and bearing from 30 to 40 flowers of orange color, spotted with purple 50	5 00



A VARIETY OF LILIUM AURATUM. (See page 94.)

#### LILIES, continued.

Lilium speciosum album (Lancifolium). Large white-flowers of good substance, with a greenish band running through each petal; one of the finest		Per do:	
Lilies in cultivation	) 30	\$3.0	0(
<b>Speciosum rubrum.</b> White, thickly studded with dark crimson spots; very fine.			
The best of the Speciosum class			Ю
<b>Superbum.</b> Flowers orange, spotted with red; often grows 6 to 8 feet high Tigrinum (Common Tiger-Lily). Orange-red, spotted with black; an old but	_	5 I 5	0
still standard variety		I O	00
Tigrinum splendens. Much larger than the type, often bearing as many as 25			
flowers on a stem	20		00
<b>Tigrinum fl. pl.</b> Semi-double form of <i>L. tigrinum</i>	20	2 0	00
Washingtonianum (Shasta Lily). Flowers white, tinted with lilac; 12 to 18 borne on a stalk 5 to 6 feet high. A magnificent species from California			50

#### Collection of the above 13 Lilies, one bulb of each, \$3.

# Miscellaneous Bulbs.

Each	P	er do:	z.
MARYLLIS. The Amaryllis are among the grandest bulbous plants, some			
species bearing from two to six immense flowers, six to ten inches across, on a			
spike three feet high. They are all tender plants, but some varieties may be get out in the border, and brought in before the approach of frost. They			
succeed best in a mixture of leaf-mold, loam, manure and sand.			
A. Atamasco (Zephyranthes Atamasco). (Flower of the West Wind,) Flow-			
ers lily-like, about three inches long; white when young, suffused with sal-			
mon. Height one foot	10	\$0 4	0
A. Aulica (Hippeastrum aulicum). (Lily of the Palace.) A gorgeous winter			
bloomer; brilliant crimson, green at the base of the petals, and above the green			
a purple blotch; I½ to 2 feet	25		
A. Belladonna (Belladonna Lily). An autumn-blooming species, bearing from six to twelve flowers, white or purplish, sweet-scented.	25	2 5	
A. candida (Zephyranthes candida). (Peruvian Swamp-Lily.) Flowers white,	23	4 3	,0
greenish at the base; blooms in September	10	1 0	00
A. formosissima (Sprekelia formosissima). (Jacobean Lily.) Large and showy			
flower of a fine deep scarlet, on a scape two feet high	20	Ι 5	60
A. Johnsonii (Hippeastrum Johnsonii). A dull red flower with a white stripe			
down each petal; one of the earliest hybrids, and especially robust in		_	
growth	60	6 0	0
A. Nerine Fothergilli major. Flowers of a brilliant scarlet, 20 to 25 in a			
cluster	00	10 0	
A. Nerine Japonica (Lycoris radiata). Deep pink, approaching to scarlet	25	2 5	;0
A. Nerine Sarniensis (The true Guernsey Lily). Bright red, with a tinge of salmon. Flower-stalks 15 to 18 inches high, bearing 3 to 6 flowers	25	2 5	-0
A. Reginæ (Mexican Lily). Flowers large, dark red, shaded with white and	43		,0
orange	50	5 (	00
A. rosea (Zephyranthes rosea). Perianth rose-colored, about three inches	,		
across, the segments greenish below the middle; a free-blooming species	10	7	75
A. purpurea (Vallotta purpurea). (Scarborough Lily.) Flowers bright scarlet,			
five or six in a head, lasting a long time in perfection	30	3 (	00
A. sulphurea (Zephyranthes sulphurea). Flowers sulphur-yellow	10	8	30
A. treatæa (Zephyranthes treatæa). (Florida Fairy Lily.) A beautiful native			
species, which produces two or more pure white, deliciously scented flowers.	10		50
<b>A.</b> Vittata ( <i>Hippeastrum vittata</i> ). Pure white, with double red stripes on each segment of the perianth. One of the most beautiful species, and especially use-			
ful for window culture	50	5 (	00
A. Hybrid Seedlings. Fine varieties, mixed, producing the most gorgeous flowers	-	-	
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MISCELLANEOUS BULBS, continued.			
ANEMONES (Coronaria or Hortensis Varieties). Pretty flowers for beds	loz.	Pei i	roo
and borders.  Fulgens (Scarlet Wind-Flower). Very showy	00	6	00
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AMORPHOPHALLUS Rivieri (Snake-Palm or Umbrella Arum). This genus, closely allied to the Arum, includes some of the largest flowers in the world. The flower-stalk, which appears before the leaves, is marbled brown and reddish, and bears an immense flower somewhat like the Calla Lily in shape, but of a rosy green color; the stalk, including the flower, which is about half the length, grows from 2 to 3 feet high			
BEGONIA, Tuberous-rooted. See page 87. BESSERA elegans (Coral Drops). A pretty little bulbous plant of easy culture	73		
and much merit; flowers of a bright coral scarlet, with white cups and dark blue anthers. It will continue in bloom all summer.  CALADIUM esculentum (Elephant's Ear). A grand plant, with immense leaves, having a distinctly tropical effect.	10	\$1	00
Extra size bulbs, 10 to 12 inches in circumference	00	10	00
First size " 8 " 9 " "	50	5	00
Second size " 6 " 7 "	25		50
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<b>CALADIUM, Fancy=leaved.</b> See Stove and Greenhouse Department of this Catalogue:			,
CALLA LILIES—White Calla (Richardia Æthiopica). These are very extensively grown in greenhouses, and may be had in flower at almost any season. They will live and grow from year to year, if allowed to rest awhile during the summer, and occasionally repotted to supply fresh nourishment	20	2	00
Black Calla (Arum sanctum). A novelty of recent introduction. The leaves resemble those of the common Calla, but the flower is much larger; it is dark purple above and greenish below, while the spadix is black. A curious and interesting plant	50	5	00
Spotted Calla (Richardia alba maculata). Fine spotted leaves		-	50
Yellow Calla (Richardia hastata). Yellow flowers	00		
New Dwarf Calla, The Gem. This perfect little gem cannot be praised too much. While the common Calla grows to a height of three feet, The Gem seldom attains more than one and a-half feet.	35	3	50
CANNAS. See pages 88 and 91.			
CYCLOBOTHRA flava. A pretty flowering bulb, of a habit similar to Bessera			. 1
elegans; the cup is golden yellow, with fine black dots in the petals	10	Ι.	00
Lily, etc." They are grown in shallow bowls in water and pebbles to hold the bulb upright, and are very pretty for growing in the house.	20	2	00
CRINUM Americanum. A very beautiful variety; flowers, produced in great abundance, are pure white, waxy like and fragrant	50	5	00
DAHLIAS. See pages 91 and 92.			
DIOSCOREA Batatas (Chinese Yam). The so-called "Cinnamon Vine," from the odor of cinnamon emitted by the flowers. Fine for trellis work	10	I (	00
GLOXINIA. These plants are among the most beautiful of greenhouse and conservatory plants, bearing large bell-shaped flowers in great abundance, of the most strikingly rich colors. We have imported this year from France a large quantity of choice seedling bulbs, which arrived in splendid condition and are			
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MISCELLANEOUS BULBS, continued.	-1-	Per doz.
HYACINTHUS candicans (Giant Summer Hyacinth). This is an extremely luxuriant free-growing plant with tall spikes, bearing pretty bell-shaped flowers like a Hyacinth		
IRIS. See Herbaceous Department of this Catalogue.	00	ф0 75
MADEIRA VINE (Climbing Mignonette). Bears very beautiful, frägrant white		
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MILLA biflora (Mexican Star or Frost Flower). Bears freely all summer in sunny positions, exquisitely beautiful, large, scintillating white flowers; should be cultivated by every one	10	7.5
OXALIS. Summer flowering. Very handsome as edgings, producing flowers in	10	75
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O. Deppeii (speciosa). Rosy purple per 100, \$1.75 .	5	25
O. Lasandria. Rosy pink; very handsome per 100, \$1.75 .	5	25
PANCRATIUM calathinum (Peruvian White Sea Daffodil). This plant is worthy of special mention, the bulb producing an abundance of very large fragrant,		
pearly white flowers	25	2 50
<b>RANUNCULUS, Double.</b> These are bright-colored summer-blooming plants, and may be had in all colors from white through yellow, orange, purple and scarlet, to almost black. The flowers are of good size, perfectly double, and as beautifully imbricated as a rose. They should be planted in the spring.		
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ZEPHYRANTHES. See Amaryllis, page 96.		

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